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OHIO'S GOVERNOR.

McKinley Steps Out and Bushnell Steps In.

The Inauguration Ceremonies are Largely Attended—McKinley's Introduction of His Successor.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 13.—Governor McKinley and staff, excepting two absent members, General Botsford, of Youngstown, and Colonel Taylor, of East Liverpool, were photographed by Baker at 8:30 a. m. At 9 a. m. the governor welcomed the International Brick Layers' union in open session, to which all members of labor organizations had been invited to be present This was simply a neat, formal welcome and was the last but one of the governor's official acts preceeding his surrender of office to Governor Bushnell. The bricklayers received McKinley with hearty applause. The attendance is very large and the city extensively decorated.

The inauguration ceremonies inducting Asia S. Bushnell into the office of governor began at 11 a. m., when Governor McKinley and staff and the joint legislative and citizens' committee met him at the Chittenden hotel and, escorted by troop A, of Cleveland; the Champion City guards, and the Fourteenth regiment, O. N. G, proceeded to the state house, where Governor McKinley, addressing the multitude in the rotunda, referred in appropriate terms to the occasion, presented his successor with a commission as governor and introduced him as Governor Bushnell. Governor McKinley said:

"It is a tribute to our institutions and an assurance of their strength and permanence that those who stood opposed to each other at the last election, now cheerfully acquiescing in the popular will, have gathered here to participate in the inauguration of Governor Bushnell, and to wish him God speed and the realization of useful, honorable and distinguished administration. No governor ever entered upon his duties with more kindly sentiments of regard and more certain evidences of public confidence, coming from every quarter of the state and from all classes of our people, than he who takes the oath of office today. No governor but one ever came to the office with a larger plurality and but one with a larger popular vote than he. It will be a source of comfort and a tower of strength to him to realise always that he has behind him the people whose only aim is the public good and whose support can be counted upon in every effort to promote the welfare of the state. I congratulate him that he enjoys this confidence and am sure the people will follow him with their blessings and prayers.

"My last official act is done when I present to you Governor Bushnell, in behalf of the people and by their command, your commission as governor. No act in my four years incumbency have given me more genuine pleasure than this. I know it will not be out of place to say—for it is in my heart to say it—that you have my warm and sincere personal good wishes, both in your public and private life. May a kind providence guide and preserve you, not only during the years of your official term, but in all the years of the future, and may your administration be of great advantage to the people, a credit and honor to yourself and one illustrious in the annals of the state."

BULLETS ANSWER A JOKE.

Motorman Slain for Putting His Cold Hands Down a Friend's Back.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich, Jan. 13.—Albert Johnson, aged twenty-five, a street railroad motorman, upon returning to his boarding house yesterday morning put his cold hands down the back of G. S. H. Holmes, aged twenty-seven, a fellow boarder. A fight followed and Holmes went to his room, secured a revolver, and, returning, fired five times at Johnson, hitting him three times and killing him instantly. He then gave himself up to the police. Holmes is a civil engineer and came here recently to accept a position in a large machine shop. His father is a former postmaster of Grand Ledge and a prominent citizen there. He is a graduate of the state university and of the state agricultural college.

READY TO FIGHT ENGLAND.

Indiana Belgians Disappointed Because War is Not Declared.

ECKERTY, Ind., Jan. 13.—This place was in a bustle of excitement Saturday upon the arrival of between eighty and 100 Belgians from the interior of Perry county for the purpose of enlisting in the volunteer service of the United States. They had been told that war had been declared against England, and that a recruiting office had been established here. They are all farmers, and few of them could speak English. They seemed disappointed at the signs of peace they found here, and said they would rather fight until next seed time than otherwise.

Death of a Judge's Widow.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Pierrepont Isham, eighty-seven years old, widow of the late Judge Pierrepont Isham, of the supreme court of Vermont, died last evening at the home of her son-in law, Major Sartell Prentice. Mrs. Isham had been ill but a short time. The remains will be conveyed to Manchester Vt., for interment.

Canada's Trouble.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Times publishes today a column article discussing the recent ministerial trouble in Canada, whose "remarkable and significant political crisis has escaped attention, owing to the Transvaal difficulties." Continuing, the Times says it believes that if the Hon. MacKenzie Bowen, the Canadian premier, succeeds in forming a cabinet, he will only hold office for a few weeks and will then resign in favor of Sir Charles Tupper, Sr, the Canadian high commissioner to Great Britian.

AN INSANE FATHER

Causes the Death of His Family of Seven.

Waited Until All Were Asleep, Then He Stealthily Turnes on the Gas and Lies Down to Die.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Peter Houggard, who is thought by the police to have been insane, killed himself, wife and five children last night. The discovery was made by the police today. Upon breaking open the door of Houggard's residence they found the whole family asphyxiated. Houggard had evidently waited till all were asleep, and then turning on the gas jets, had calmly laid down and awaited his own death.

Houggard was a Dane, living at 731 Sixty-first street. He wrote a letter to a friend yesterday telling him what he was going to do, saying he was despondent and spoke of some diamonds which the police would find by his side when they entered the house. The letter, which was written in Danish, was received by Huggard's friend today and he immediately informed the police of its contents. Captain Gibbons, of the Englewood station, with two officers, went to the Houggard residence.

The doors were all locked and there was no response to the repeated ringing of the doorbell. Finally the police put their shoulders to the door and forced it from its hinges. They were almost overcome by the fumes of illuminating gas which met them, and it was some moments before the air from the open door cleared the interior atmosphere sufficiently to permit them to enter. Then the police made a hasty survey of the first story, but found nothing and rushed upstairs where they discovered the seven corpses.

The jet of every gas fixture in the house had been opened and death had evidently crept upon all the family, but the husband and father, while they slept.

THE DEAD.

Peter Houggard, husband and father, forty years old.
Mrs. Houggard, thirty-eight years old.
Hans, fourteen years old.
Jennie, ten years old.
Olga, eight years old.
Maude, six years old.
Tella, two years of age.

THE BEST PLAN YET.

Congressman Morse Proposes a Deal With Turkey.

He Would Invoke the Co-operation of the Allied Powers to Wipe Out the Turkish Government.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Today being the second Monday of the month was under the rules, set aside for the consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia. Although the consideration of the house rules has not been completed, it was decided to give today to the District of Columbia. Before Chairman Babcock claimed the day Mr. Morse, republican, of Massachusetts, presented the following resolution for reference to the committee on foreign affairs:

"WHEREAS, The most mournful tragedy of the nineteenth century has been and is now being enacted, under the apparent sanction of the sultan of Turkey, by which hundreds of thousands of Armenians are being ruthlessly slaughtered in cold blood, women are being driven into a captivity worse than death and inhabitants who have fled to the mountains are dying of cold and starvation, and

"WHEREAS, the blood of these martyred dead cry to Heaven for justice,

"Resolved, That the committee on foreign affairs consider the expediency of reporting forthwith some expression by this government in denunciation of these atrocities, and if they find as a nation that they are powerless to act, that we invoke the co-operation of the allied powers to wipe the Turkish government off the face of the earth and secure the freedom and independence of Armenia."

The resolution was referred and the house then entered upon the consideration of district business.

CHANGE OF FIRM.

Nathan & Kirchheimer Succeed A. Hirsch & Co., Paper Dealers.

There has been a change in the firm of Hirsch & Co, wholesale paper dealers, on East Columbia street. Mr. A. Hirsch retired from the firm and was succeeded by Julius Nathan.

The firm is now composed of Messrs. Julius Nathan, Charles Nathan and Joseph Kirchheimer. The change became effective on January 10. Nathan & Kirchheimer is the name of the new house.

Frank Kochs, of St. Joe boulevard, who has been very low for three weeks with dropsy and heart trouble, is reported out of danger and on the road to recovery.

Night Police Clerk William Hoham, who has been off duty on account of sickness for some time, will return to work tonight.

THE QUEEN LIVES!

A Corean Romance a la Rider Haggard.

Fled Through a Secret Passage and Escaped the Massacre—A Well Guarded Secret.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 13.—A romance equaling anything which Rider Haggard ever wrote comes from Seoul, the capital of Corea, relating to the conspiracy which broke out there last November. The facts are known only to a few persons, one being the king, and all have the strongest motives for concealment.

It will be remembered that on November 28 an unsuccessful plot culminated in an attack on the palace by a number of Coreans belonging to the queen's party. M. Waeber, the Russian charge d' affairs; Drs. Allen and Underwood and other Americans were accused, apparently on strong grounds, of being privy to the plot. They were, in fact, said to have been on the spot simultaneously with the abortive attempt. They, however, denied all complicity. The king and the Japanese, being warned beforehand, posted extra guards and foiled the conspiracy. Your correspondent's information now shows that M. Waeber and the English consul shared the secret, the object being to seize the ministers, expel the Japanese, free the king from the latter's influence, and restore the queen who was reported dead, but who was in reality alive.

The Russian secretary of legation was the leading spirit in the conspiracy and was deputed to convey the queen from her place of hiding to the palace. The failure of the attempt necessitated the keeping of the secret of the queen being in existence, which is now for the first time divulged.

When, in October, the Corean and Japanese broke into the palace the queen, scenting danger, hid hastily, without speaking to her women, in an obscure out house, saw the bodies of her ladies-in-waiting dragged to the pyre prepared for them outside, and watched the completion of the tragedy from her hiding place. The queen was concealed for an hour and a half, every moment expecting discovery. She fled at last through a secret passage to the old palace and then, after changing her dress, made her escape outside the walls of the city, where she reached a place of safety.

When the Japanese and Coreans examined the charred bodies of the women who had been burned, the king and some others shrewdly feigned that they had discovered the identity of the queen in one of the victims, lest a search should reveal her whereabouts and lead to her murder. The Japanese accepted the account of the queen's death as true. M. Waeber and Hidler, the latter being the German consul, must have been privy to the secret which was, however, well kept.

Three Coreans were strangled last week as the queen's murderers, while the trial of Viscount Mura and other Japanese officials is proceeding at Hershimo for the murder of a woman who still lives.

Li Han Shin, the leader of the last abortive plot, is in hiding here. An American friend, who came here on the Russian cruiser Olijaney says that Russia is using the supposed murder of the queen as a wrong against the Japanese, although knowing its falsity.

SENSATIONAL SHOOTING

Occurred in a Dry Goods House at Indianapolis.

Miss Gordon, a Young Lady Clerk, Fired Two Shoots at the Floor Walker, Harry Purviance.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind, Jan. 13.—A sensational shooting occurred in the large dry goods house of L. S. Ayres & Co., in Washington street, this morning. Miss Ruth Gordon, a clerk, fired two shots at Harry Purviance, a floor walker. One shot made an abrasion in Purviance's side. The second shot failed to take effect and Purviance grabbed and overpowered his assailant, before she could fire again. Miss Gordon charges Purviance with ungentlemanly conduct toward her. Purviance is married. The shooting caused a panic among the army of clerks. Miss Gordon was reported at police headquarters.

IN A WHIRLPOOL.

A Score of Lives Were Lost in Mexico.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 13.—Prof. E. S. Coffeey, of this city, has received a letter from Lake Chapala, state of Jalisco, Mexico, which says that a few days ago residents of one of the small settlements near the western end of Lake Chapala were terrified to see a gigantic whirlpool raging far out in the water. The water rose in great serpentine movements, and from all directions rushed towards a common center, where a vast cavity seemed to exist. At the same time a heavy rumbling was heard apparently in the bowels of the earth. The whirlpool was caused by the sudden sinking of a large portion of the lakes bottom. The disturbance continued for twenty minutes and before it subdued it is said that several pleasure boats were drawn into the whirlpool and disappeared with their occupants. It is estimated that a score of lives were lost.

Will Go in Business.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.—Theodore Breitenstein, the speedy left handed pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, who, it is stated, will leave that team next season, will join the southern Illinois league and play with the club representing the city of Chester. He is not going to depend upon his ball playing for a livlihood, however, but backed by moneyed men in Chester, will go in business there. This is the story given out by his friends. Breitenstein's friends say his decision in the matter is final.

CRISIS NOT OVER.

Affairs in the Transvaal in a Chaotic Condition.

Warrants Have Been Issued for About 300 Persons, Among Them Several Americans.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The political crisis has reached a stage where "further developments" must be awaited before the general public can form a definite idea of how the wind is blowing.

Among the South African politicians it is felt that the crisis is by no means over and it is held by them that the bandishments and interdiction placed upon the property of the chief men of Johannesburg cannot be tolerated. This feeling grows out of the Johannesburg dispatch reporting that warrants are out for the arrest of over 300 persons, all leading men in the mines and principal companies of the stock exchange and of the professional element. It was added that among those arrested were several Americans and Germans, including J. S. Curtis, an American engineer. It is generally admitted, also, that the new cabinet of Cape Colony is weak and it is not thought likely that it will last for any length of time.

Considerable feeling has also been caused among the South Africans here by the dispatches from Cape Town announcing the arrest at Seaport, a suburb of Cape Town, of Charles Leonard, chairman of the Transvaal National Union, and under extradition proceedings. This is especially criticised severely and the Globe asks why the Cape government is doing President Kruger's work for him and refusing to perform a similar duty for others.

A despatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Cape Town, published today, says that the latest advices received there from Pretoria state that bail has been refused the ringleaders of the recent disturbances at Johannesburg, and that the other people arrested in the same connection have been liberated, each in $5,000 bail. The despatch adds that it is expected that severe measures will be taken against the leaders of the uprising, in spite of the fact that it is now apparent that they were deceived and taken by surprise by Dr. Jameson's incursion.

Sir Hercules Robinson, the governor of Cape Colony, it appears, has made every effort to secure leniency for the prisoners; but, the extreme section of the Boers are much incensed and very difficult to control. The new ministry of Cape Colony is regarded as adverse to shield the ex-premier, Mr. Cecil Rhodes, and Sir Hercules Robinson. Mr Rhodes, it is also said, is in very bad health.

Advices from Johanneaburg say that the Uitlanders are expecting the Boers to make a house to house search for arms and it is stated that the Germans of that place have been holding meetings and passing resolutions telling Emperor William to mind his own business.

Dr. Jameson and his lieutenants, so far as is known, are still at Pretoria, and President Kruger reached a point which will permit of his being sent to Natal under escort, to be delivered over to the British authorities for trial. The Times says that the the officials of the British South Africa company deny that Dr. Jameson was deposed from the position of administrator of their territory on the recommendation of the company.

SEEKING AID FOR AMERICANS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13. — Senators Perkins and White, of California, called at the state department today to urge Secretary Olney to take such steps as may be necessary to secure proper treatment for John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer, who is reported to have been arrested by the Boer officials at Johannesburg on a charge of treason in connection with the recent rising of the Uitlanders in the Transvaal. Secretary Olney informed his cailers that he had cabled Mr. Manyon, the United States consular agent at Johannesburg, to do everything proper for the protection of all American citizens in the Transvaal, this course being because the nearest American consul was at Cape Town and too far removed from the scene to be of service.

Ambassador Bayard was cabled by Secretary Olney to secure from the foreign office in London a direction to the British representatives in South Africa to use their good offices to protect American citizens. The secretary assured the California senators that American citizens in the Transvaal cannot be tried for treason, so that Hammond's life is not in danger. The most that can be done, it is said, is to fine or imprison him, and probably this will be avoided. Senators White and Perkins express entire satisfaction with what has been done in Hammond's behalf by the state department.

The county commissioners will grant the franchise to the Consolidated Street Railroad company to build an electric railroad to the Swift farm, but will exact a bond of $25,000 that it will be finished according to specifications.

C. H. Walton, superintendent of the Panhandle railroad at Logansport, spent Sunday in this city.

FOUGHT TO THE LAST.

Negro Desperado Resists Arrest in Florida.

Returns the Fire of the Officers and is Cremated in the House He Barricaded.

NEWMANSVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—Pursued by a posse, Harry Jordan, a negro desperado, wanted for murderously assaulting Dr. J. N. Cloud, took refuge in an unoccupied house near Alachua yesterday afternoon. The negro barricaded the doors and swore he would kill the first man who attempted to enter. The posse poured in volley after volley, riddling the house with bullets, but not injuring Jordan, who returned the fire with his Winchester. Finally the possee resolved to set fire to the house, thinking the flames would drive the negro out, when he would be easily captured.

The torch was applied in several places and soon the house was enveloped in flames. The negro, however, made no effort to escape. Hestationed himself in the center of the burning building and fired his Winchester in a vain effort to kill some of his pursuers.

The desperadoe's rifle continued to crack until the roof fell in and he was buried by blazing debris. Jordan was known as a bad negro, having killed, it is said, three men. He frequently boasted that no white man would ever capture him alive.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

Harrison's Man Will Be Chairman of the State Committee.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 13.—Reports from the republican primaries held throughout the state Saturday leave no doubt that the Nebeker machine has triumphed most signally over the Gowdy faction and ex-President Harrison's man will be the chairman of the state central committee and manage the coming campaign in this state.

It is also a victory of the friends of W. R. McKeen over Charles W. Fairbanks, as Nebeker is the candidate of the former and is pledged to his interests in the fight for the republican nomination for the United States senate. This phase of the situation had much to do with the result in southwestern Indiana, where the McKeen men threw their strength unreservedly to the Nebeker slates and secured the delegations in almost every case.

Gowdy's friends concede that he can not be elected and the Nebeker men declare that their favorite will have nine and possibly ten members of the state central committee. It develops that Gowdy, though in the fight for the past two months, had comparatively no organization in many counties, while Nebeker men were organized everywhere and had a full representation in all the conventions.

Nebeker was United States treasurer under President Harrison and his friends have been urging his selection as chairman on the ground that he was acceptable to Harrison, while Gowdy was not.

DELINQUENTS MUST SETTLE.

Anderson, Ind., Doctors Post a List of Debtors and Refuse to Attend Them.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 12.—The doctors of this county who formed a union three weeks ago for the purpose of not treating any person who was delinquent on any doctor's account until he had first settled his indebtedness, have completed their list of debtors and are having them published. After being audited it was found that there were 1,400 of them. The same name occurs many times on different liats, but the number only includes the name one time. The association is iron bound and while it does not include every one of the 117 doctors, it includes enough to make it advisable to settle up the bills of the past for the emergencies that may arise in the future. These lists are printed in bold type and hung up in full view in every office.

STILL GUARD AGAINST INDIANS.

Old Couple in This State Possessed of a Singular Notion.

WABASH, Ind., Jan. 13.—Two miles west of Rich Valley, this county, lives an old couple who cook, eat and sleep in one room and who have their team of horses in one end of the squalid apartment. A day or so ago a passerby, Abe Shilling, entered the place and found the pair alone, with their horses tied to the posts of their bed. An ugly looking shotgun stood near the door at half cock. The people greeted Shilling very coldly and he didn't tarry. They are said to be possessed of the hallucination that Indians are running at large over the country and for that reason have collected their belongings all in one room.

KRUGER BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Energetic President of the Transvaal a Native of America.

WILKESBARRE, Pa, Jan. 13.—President Kruger, of the Transvaal republic, is a native of Pennsylvania. A local paper made the announcement yesterday that he was born in Mauch Chunk. When twelve years old he left there and went to New York, where he sold papers. One day he shipped on a merchant vessel as a cabin boy, but was so ill treated that when the vessel reached Cape Town he deserted and made his way to the Boer settlement. From a farm hand he rose to his present position.

BOUND OVER.

Frank Irwin Must Answer to Circuit Court for Theft.

Frank Irwin, who was arrested for stealing a tub and a lantern from a Broadway grocery last Friday night, was given a preliminary hearing before Mayor Oakley on Saturday afternoon and was bound over to the circuit court in the sum of $100. He gave bond for his appearance.

DOG AND PULLET.

More About George Ewing's Fowl Eating Canines.

A Petty Case in New York Courts That Has Become an Interesting Matter.

The New York World of January 11 contained the following in regard to the law suit of the Havemeyer estate against George Ewing, formerly of this city to recover $40 for some chickens which Mr. Ewing's dogs devoured. The case was mentioned in THE SENTINEL several days ago. The World says:

"Every inhabitant of Babylon, L. I., who owns a chicken is trying to get one of George W. Ewing's Gordon setters to eat it. If the dogs will devour one-third of the birds that are put where they can be caught there will be more money in poultry raised there than ever before.

"Mr. Ewing is a rich man. His kennel is his pride. Gordon setters are his specialty, though he owns other kinds of dogs. The late Commodore Henry Havemeyer didn't care much for dogs, but devoted a good deal of time and thought to pullets. His birds were celebrated on Long Island for their tenderness and for their nourishing qualities.

"The Gordon setters must have heard about the pullets, for one day they attacked a flock of them that were out taking a walk and left nothing in the way of assets but a few bones and some feathers. Mr. Havemeyer was not alive at the time, and his estate was in charge of J. L. Humfreville, the executor. When taking a periodical inventory of the personal property on the estate he counted the pullets, and discovered that many of them were missing. He made an investigation.

"He found ample evidence against the Gordon setters. A colored man had seen the battle. The pullets were going lawfully about their business, he swore, when suddenly they were molested, waylaid and otherwise beset by the dogs. As was their legal right, the birds put up the best defense they could, but it was not valid and not a pullet escaped to tell the tale.

"The executor of the estate could not sue the dogs, but he began proceedings against Mr. Ewing as their next friend and owner. He demanded $40 in settlement, claiming more than the pullets were worth on the ground of trespass. Justice Arthur Neville heard the case.

"Counsel for the pullets showed that the dogs were guilty. He drew a tearful picture of the unfortunate fowl suddenly torn from the arms of their parents and ruthlessly masticated. He asked for punitive damages so that an example might be made of the guilty.

"Lawyer Eugene Fishel, who appeared for the dogs, made a plea in which law and sentiment were blended, 50 per cent. of each.

"'If the dogs had a previous bad character and their owners knew it,' he said, 'he might be liable; but if they went around eating pullets he was not a party to it and was not aware of it. He is not liable for their first offense.'

"Then changing from the emotional to the matter of fact, as only a clever lawyer can, he said: 'These pullets weren't worth more than fourteen cents a pound anyway. There wasn't more than $20 worth of them.'

"Justice Neville has given judgment for the full amount claimed. Mr. Fishel says that the judgment will be contested in every court in the land till justice is done."

STORY OF A WHEEL.

A Crack Rider Pawned Another Man's Bicycle.

He Mailed the Owner the Ticket and the Wheel Was Redeemed This Morning.

A bicycle story just came to a termination today in this city that is of interest. Last summer a bicycle rider named Robert I. Trainor started to ride on a wheel all the way from New York city to San Francisco, for the purpose of advertising the Horstman wheel, which is manufactured by E. I. Horstman, in New York.

Trainor rode as far as Fort Wayne and evidently concluded to give up his job. So he took the wheel to the pawn shop of Horace Mariotte and pawned it for a small amount of money. With this Trainor bought a railroad ticket to Chicago and when he arrived in the Windy City he mailed the pawn check to Mr. Horstman, the owner of the wheel.

This morning James M. Kane, of this city, who is a personal friend of Mr. Horstman, received the pawn ticket from the latter gentleman by mail, together with sufficient money to redeem the bicycle. Mr. Kane repaid Mr. Mariotte the money Trainor had borrowed and took the wheel. He will send it to its New York owner.

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Fort Wayne Banks Will Buy no Government Bonds

Of the New Popular Loan Issue—The Premium Too High and the Interest Too Low.

So far as THE SENTINEL can learn none of the banks of this city will take any part of the new loan of $100,000,000 which is now being offered by the government. The loan is to be in the nature of a "popular loan," judging from what the government officials have been saying, and the idea is to have the people generally subscribe for the bonds instead of selling them all in one to a syndicate.

From various places there have come statements to the effect that numerous banks over the country have signified their intention of taking some of the bonds, but the banks of Fort Wayne do not intend to subscribe to the loan.

Mr. J. D. Bond, of the Old National bank, said to THE SENTINEL, when asked about the matter: "I do not know of anyone in the city who will take any of the bonds. So far as this bank is concerned we shall not go into it. I think the whole scheme is a mistake. I doubt if the government will be able to place the full amount of the issue in the country as a popular loan, and if this is true and the syndicate goes to pieces the government will be in a hole. I do not believe any of the bonds will be sold in this city."

Mr. Charles McCulloch, president of the Hamilton National bank, said: "I have not heard of any Fort Wayne banks who will buy bonds. We shall not do so. Our circulation is full and we have no money with which to buy them as an investment, because the premium is too high. It would be virtually making a 4 per cent. loan at 3 per cent."

Cashier Lem R. Hartman, of the First National bank, replied thus to the inquiries: "We have had a few calls for the bonds from individuals, but they will not buy any, I think. They all want to get the bonds at par and, of course, that is out of the question. Several parties have told us that if we could get them some of the bonds at par they would take them, but when a man says that he is simply talking funny. There will be very few, if any, of them sold in this city, because they are not a good investment for Fort Wayne people. In the smaller towns, where there are no manufacturing concerns to whom the banks can loan their money, the bonds will be readily taken, because it is about the only means they have of investing their money where it can be turned back into cash at any time. But in Fort Wayne the banks can loan their money at a better rate of interest to the manufacturers and business men. And then, this is a great city of homes. When a man gets a thousand dollars here he goes and buys a lot and puts up a house. He does not buy bonds. In the big cities it is different. A man with a thousand or two dollars cannot buy property with such a small sum and he is usually ready to invest in bonds. That is where most of the money comes from with which to buy government bonds. For that reason I do not believe any of the new loan will be taken here."

President John I. White, of the White National bank, said: "Our bank has talked some of bidding on some of the bonds, but we have not made up our mind to do so. I do not know of any one in the city who will bid on them."

WONDERFUL INCREASE.

Westminster Church Receives Forty-four New Members.

That Number United With the Church Sunday—Over One Hundred Additions in the Church Year.

Forty-four persons were received into the membership of Westminster church yesterday, twenty of whom were on certificates from other churches and twenty-four on confession of faith. With the exception of four these additions were all adults and but few had any former connection with the church. Ninety-eight have been received since February 1, 1895, and as some others are soon to be received there will be a total of 100 or more by the expiration of the year ending February 1, 1896.

THE DEATHS.

Joseph Boquard Succumbs to Cancer—Mrs. George Eisinger Dead.

Joseph Bcquard, aged seventy-four years, died yesterday morning at the St. Joseph hospital from cancer. He leaves six children, one son being a priest at Auburn, Ind. The funeral will take place at the hospital at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

EISINGER.

Ella Eisinger, the wife of George Eisinger, died Sunday morning at the family residence, No. 53 Gay street. She was a sufferer from obstruction of the bowels and a few days ago an operation was performed, but she could not survive the exhaustion. She leaves a husband and two small children. The funeral was held at the English Lutheran church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Bursley's Blend Coffee is a fine mixture of Java and Mocha. It is served free at the People's Store. 10 13 14

Venezuelan Commission.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Venezuelan commission did not hold a morning session today as was contemplated. President Gilman was at the residence of Justice Brewer at 10:30 o'clock and the other commissioners had arranged to respond in case of a meeting, but as Justice Brewer had some court work the session was put off until later in the day.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—It was learned this afternoon that the cabinet council of Saturday last considered the question of re-establishing diplomatic relations with Venezuela, but no definite conclusion was arrived at.

THE COURTS.

Officer Foulks' Case is Sent to Justice Tancey.

The Roller Will Case on Trial—Two More Divorce Suits Brought—Court News.

Gus Jackson, who keeps the saloon at the corner of Calhoun and Wayne streets, filed an affidavit in Justice Bohen's court against Policeman Albert Foulks for a felonious assault. Justice Bohen sent the case to Justice Tancey and put Foulks' bond at $4,00, which was given, for his appearance. The officer visited the place of Jackson, in the round of his duties, when the difficulty occurred between the two, Jackson claims Foulks assaulted him. The parties give different versions of the affair and court will endeavor to decide which one is right and which one is wrong.

The Roller will case, which THE SENTINEL noticed at some length last week, was begun before a jury in the circuit court this morning and will occupy the rest of the week. Henry Colerick made the opening statement to the jury this afternoon. The case involves $12,000 and the plaintiffs are the daughters of the deceased who were ignored in the will.

Constable Roembke went out into Lake township this morning to arrest August Buff and Frank Sterling for the illegal sale of liquor. Five affidavits were filed against each of them in Justice France's court.

Constable Johnson went to Hoagland to arrest Joseph Mowrer for bastardy. The affidavit was filed before Justice France by Amanda Wyall.

Clara Yarlan has filed proceedings for divorce from Reuben Yarian. She asks $1,500 alimony. E. V. Emrick is her attorney.

Maud Harmeyer has filed proceedings for a divorce from John Harmeyer and the custody of her child. P. R. Colerick is attorney for the plaintiff.

Balzar Federspiel, jr., sues Fred Roebke et. al., to foreclose a mortgage for $1,500. R. B. Dreibelbiss is attorney for the plaintiff.

August Korn and Amelia Brunner, John B. Pranger and Alice R. Laurim, Allen C. Gorrell and Jennie E. Braybrook, Albert Howard and Matilda Keller, William E. McLaughlin and Elizabeth Quinn, Henry Meier and Minnie Kamper, Peter Hinen and Frances Boher have been licensed to wed.

Justice Bohen imposed a fine of $10 and costs on Gotlrich Walda, charged with wife desertion.

Justice Hayes acquitted Rus George, charged with maintaining a house of ill-fame on East Main street, and continued the case of Edward Keever, charged with the same offense.

The board of commissioners have accepted the new Orphans' home and already the society is in possession of the building.

The county commissioners will go to Chicago Thursday to look at building stone to be used in the erection of our new court house. Their design is to use the very best material.

In Justice France's court, Leonard McCrory and Benjamin Moore, of Leo, charged with stealing a set of harness from Harris & Krider, were sent to jail in default of $100 bond to insure their appearance when wanted. An old man named Payne, residing on Pearl street, was fined $1 and costs on a charge of provoke, preferred by Bella Nimpz, in the same court.

A MISSING GIRL.

An Officer Searching for Miss Ella Hamlin,

Who Disappeared From Marion Last Week—Thought She Came to This City.

Policeman Henry G. Ives, of Marion, Ind., has been in the city for several days looking for a girl named Ella Hamlin, who disappeared from her home in that city one day last week. The girl comes from a good family and the cause of her disappearance is somewhat mysterious. Her mother thought she had come to this city, inasmuch as she had been heard to say that she wanted to come here. The mother was alarmed over her absence and feared that something bad would happen to her, therefore she sent the officer to this city to find her if possible. Officer Ives, in company with members of the police force of this city, has made a search of the city and watched all the resorts and questionable places but have been unable to locate her. Sunday the officers visited all the skating places, thinking that, inasmuch as the girl is a fine skater, she might have taken a notion to indulge in the sport, but she could not be found anywhere. Officer Ives will go home this evening. Miss Hamlin, the missing girl, is said to be exceedingly handsome and is well educated.

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Henry Kappel, of No. 182 East Washington street, pleasantly entertained a pedro party.

IT INCREASES FLESH.

The New Dyspepsia Cure Does It.

A Few Remarkable Instances.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, the new discovery which has made so many remarkable cures of dyspepsia and indigestion, has recently shown that it also has the effect of *increasing the flesh and weight* of thin, run-down people and invalids. This is done in a perfectly natural manner. The tablets by restoring perfect digestion cannot fail to increase the weight and general vigor because the first effect of *perfect* digestion, following the use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, is a *vigorous appetite*, then complete digestion and assimilation of food eaten, and the result is every muscle, nerve, ligament in the body is nourished and the increase in flesh is noticeable in some cases within a week after using the remedy.

Dr. Harlandson mentions many cases in his own practice where Stuart's Tablets were used an increase of flesh was very noticeable in each case. The doctor says: Whenever I have a patient whose stomach is disordered, tongue coated, poor appetite and run-down condition my advice to such is to go to the nearest drug store and get a 50-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and the result will be the stomach will be set right, perfect digestion restored, all nervousness disappear and in many cases I have seen the weight increased 15 or 20 pounds. I recommend this remedy in preference to any other because it is not a *secret patent medicine* but is perfectly pure and wholesome, composed of vegetable essences, fruit salts, pure pepsin and bismuth, and can be given to delicate babies with benefit.

Another case is that of Miss Helen Sholes, of Nashville, who writes as follows: "Up to the fall of 1893 I had suffered from dyspepsia for nearly eight years. I was not sick in bed, but was so miserable, run down, discouraged and nervous that I might better have been in a hospital for any good I was to myself or others. For years I had been thin, pale and dyspeptic. Our good old family doctor did all he could for me, and finally advised me to try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, telling me there was no risk in taking it because it was not a secret patent medicine, but every physician knew what the tablets contained. Acting on his advice I went to the drug store, bought half a dozen packages and before they were half gone I knew the right medicine had been found at last. I enjoy an appetite, strength and freedom from weakness that I had never known previously. I gained 18 pounds in weight and while I am not fat (I don't want to be) yet my friends say I am plump enough and any more flesh would be undesirable."

The one great thing about Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is that it can be taken with perfect safety, the formula being known to every physician. No wonderful *secret* patent medicine can compare with it. *Think twice* before you put something into your stomach you know nothing about, and if you are run down in flesh, have any trouble with the stomach or poor appetite ask your druggist for Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and take no substitute. If your druggist has not got them insist on his getting them for you, as they are sold by all wholesale druggists.

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MONDAY, JAN. 13, 1896.

TONIGHT.

MASONIC TEMPLE—Frank Harvey's melodrama, "The Land of the Living."
EMPIRE THEATRE—Vaudeville Entertainment.
PARLIAMENTARY COTERIE—Meet at Public Library.
WAYNE STREE M. E. CHURCH—Business Meeting of the Epworth League.
SPECIAL MEETING—Soldiers', Sons' and Citizens' Republican Club.
REVIVAL SERVICES—Free Methodist Church.
LABOR UNIONS—Bricklayers' and Masons' Union; Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen; Barber's Union.
WAYNE TRUE BLUES—Special meeting.
PHILHARMONIC CLUB—Regular meeting.
LODGES—Sol D. Bayless Lodge, No 359 F. and A. M.; Fort Wayne Hive No 6, L. O. T. M.; Degree of Honor No. 22, A. O. U. W.; Fort Wayne Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix Lodge No. 101, K. of P.

BEGIN now to measure the size of the presidential booms.

THE city council will tackle the street car question again tomorrow night.

GOV. MCKINLEY, of Ohio, is now a private citizen, having retired from the office of governor of that state today.

THE democratic mass meeting to be held Wednesday night ought to be attended by every democrat in Fort Wayne.

IF WAR should come the death record would be terrible. All the great nations are well supplied with engines of destruction.

NEXT Thursday the national democratic committee will meet in Washington to choose the place for holding the national democratic convention. Which city will get it?

WILL the democrats have a primary election or a delegate convention for the nomination of a city ticket? That matter will come up for discussion at the mass meeting to be held Wednesday night.

NOTWITHSTANDING all the talk about war, there isn't going to be war. The people of the civilized nations are for peace and the international disputes will be settled by arbitration, as they should be.

ALL the candidates for the presidency regard Governor McKinley as the leading candidate on the republican ticket, but the fact that he is the second choice of practically all with whom he is not first, places an obstacle in the way of a combination against him.

THE Nicholson law is productive of good results, as witness the following telegram from Richmond, taken from the Indianapolis Sentinel of Sunday: "In the time that the Nicholson law has been in operation here it has wonderfully reduced the number of police court cases and there is a dearth of news in that line. There never were so few arrests for drunkenness in the history of the city as now, and the metropolitan police system has also served to reduce the number of gambling and sporting houses until such thidgs are hardly ever heard of any more.

MR. JOSEPH MEDILL, the nestor of the Chicago press, and one of the most conspicuous of American newspaper men, Saturday became the president of the Chicago Press club. He was elected to the office by the unanimous vote of the club.

THE state board of education, at its meeting Saturday, decided to ask the next legislature to enact a law providing an educational qualification for school superintendents, both county and city. President Smart, of Purdue university; President Parsons, of the state normal school, and Superintendent Goss, of the Indianapolis schools, were appointed a committee to devise and report to the board at its next meeting a scheme for the presentation of the subject to the general assembly.

ELSEWHERE in THE SENTINEL today is published the call, signed by a number of prominent democrats of this city, for a mass meeting to be held Wednesday night for the purpose of discussing plans of organization and measures in reference to the approaching city election. The meeting is an important one and THE SENTINEL desires to urge every democrat to attend it. Good citizenship requires every voter to take an interest and a part in these preliminary meetings of his party and no democrat should neglect this duty.

Congressional Absenteeism.

The attempt last week to impose a pecuniary penalty upon members of congress for absence from duty without legitimate cause deserved a stronger support, though it couldn't have had a more respectable indorsement than it received. On a demand for the yeas and nays, there were thirty-nine affirmative votes against 182 in the negative, and the amendment to the pending question was lost by practically the same vote, which, it may be added, was strictly non-partisan. But the handful of devotees to duty who supported the proposition deserve the more cordial commendation because of the meagerness of their forces. Their defeat was overwhelming, but it should not be discouraging. "The race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong."

The proposition of Mr. De Armond was a just one and will ultimately prevail. There is no more reason why congressmen should be paid for services not rendered than that street laborers or mechanics should be compensated for time spent in idleness or wasted in the saloons. A congressman who absents himself from public labors in order that he may profit by the pursuit of private and personal occupations should voluntarily relinquish claims for compensation for the time. "The laborer is worthy of his hire," but it is neither honest nor just that he should claim wages for work that has not been performed. This is a plain principle of practical business, and though, for the time being, it may not meet with the approval of those whose pecuniary interests are affected, a refined and quickened public sentiment will force its recognition in the end.

The supporters of this obviously just principle, therefore, should not abandon their position or yield to what is only a temporary defeat. Let them persevere in the fight and renew the battle whenever opportunity is offered. It is not true, as was stated during the debate last week, that the rule increases "sickness." It is possible that it increases dishonesty, but that is only a temporary evil. The statesman who will lie at the expense of his health or his "family's health" to secure an unearned per diem will soon become an ex statesman, and when the higher order of integrity and manhood is called to fill the vacancy happily created the salary grabbers will become only an odious memory.

Mr. F. R. Diffenderfer of the Lancaster (Pa.) New Era has perhaps done his country an important service in the matter of the Venezuelan boundary question by sending to the secretary of state the volume in which Sir Robert Schomburgk describes his original journey through the unknown wilds of what is now disputed territory. He afterward surveyed and defined the boundary mark which is known as the Schomburgk line, but whether that line was beyond what he considered British territory only he probably knew at that time. At any rate, the passage in his book which is a sort of giving away of himself reads as follows: "At length the column was put in marching order, the coxswain at the head, carrying the British union flag, under which they had been marching for the past three years through hitherto unknown parts of Guiana. Now it was to lead them beyond British boundaries, into regions known only to the copper colored Indians." At the time of which he speaks in this paragraph Schomburgk was leaving a village on the Mahu river.

One of the prominent facts brought out by the Philadelphia trolley strike is the meanness of human nature as developed among cabmen, even in the city of William Penn. A majority of the hack drivers of Philadelphia are doubtless decent, honest men, but the ones that attracted most attention themselves during the strike were notoriously of the other kind. One fellow is mentioned who, after bargaining to take a lady a very short distance for $1.50, flatly refused to bring her back unless she paid another 50 cents. If this kind of thing continues, people will shun all cabmen and hack drivers as so many highway robbers.

England would hate awfully to go to war with America. In the last year her exports of cotton goods to us have increased more than one-half, while the value of her woolen exports has increased tenfold. During the month of November we took from her $3,500,000 more in textile fabrics than we did in November a year ago. War would be a very awkward affair all round.

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MASS MEETING.

Call Issued for a Conference of City Democrats.

To Be Held on Wednesday Evening at 7:30 O'clock at the Circuit Court Rooms.

This being presidential year, when national, state, congressional and county tickets are to be elected, the democrats of this city are preparing to enter the coming city campaign with a united front, and they have therefore issued a call for a mass meeting to be held on next Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for conference. The committee have not been able to see all the democrats in the city to secure their signatures to the call, but they are desirous of having all attend and they earnestly request them to do so and participate in the proceedings of the meeting Wednesday night. The canvass for signatures has been a hasty one and had not been completed when THE SENTINEL went to press. Other names will be added. The call is as follows:

WHEREAS, At a meeting of the democratic city central committee the following resolution was adopted, viz:

"Resolved, That the members of this committee as individuals, in co operation with the democratic citizens of Fort Wayne, call a mass meeting to be held at the circuit court room on January 15, 1896, for the purpose of organization."

Now, therefore, we, the undersigned, members of the democratic city central committee and democratic citizens of Fort Wayne, fully concur in raid resolution and hereby unite in a call for a democratic mass meeting, to be held in the circuit court room on January 15 1896, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of organization and preparing for the coming campaign, and we cordially invite every citizen of Fort Wayne to be present and participate at such a meeting.

Allen Zollars,	John Ward,
V. Offenloch,	Chas. F. Muhler,
P. W. Schaden,	A. W. Golden,
F. M. Smith,	F. C. Meyer,
C. McCulloch,	J. M. Barrett,
M. V. Walsh,	W. W. Mungen,
A. I. Friend,	C. E. Reese,
E. H. Parker,	A. Hattersley,
Louis Fox,	H. M. Diehl,
J. R. Merriweather,	Louis J. Bobilya,
M. Himbert,	John Mohr,
Phil Lintlag,	F. J. Gruber,
J. M. Kane,	G. R Hench,
A. J. Dittoe,	E. L. Daseler,
John C. Figel,	Alfred Hattersley,
W. H. Drier,	M. H. Bohen,
Joseph V. Fox,	D J. Spencer,
Otto Herbst,	W. P. Breen,
Samuel N. Foster,	C. W. Edsall,
Ben Lehman,	Isaac Trauerman,
H. L. Studer,	Fred Goebel,
Wm. F. Ranke,	D. J. Shaw,
A. F. Glutting,	S. B Bond,
W. H. Tiger,	G. W. Steinacker,
John N. Royhans,	B F. Fisher,
P. H Kane,	Edward J. Ehrman,
Fred G. Schneider,	D. M. Monahan,
Allen Hamilton,	Charles Dittoe,
W. H. Shambaugh,	Wm. Meyer, jr.,
August Korn,	Henry A. Read,
F. W. Bandt,	Geo. Henkenius,
Frank J. Geiger,	A. L. Griebel,
H. F. Bullerman,	Thomas Meegan,
P. J. Scheid,	S. C. Henderson,
D. Petgen,	S. McMahon,
C. L. Smith,	F. M. Miller,
F. A. Bloomfield,	J. H. Hobrock,
W. J. Haas,	G. P. Gorden,
R. W. Learmonth,	E. J. O'Connell,
H. T. Schwegman,	J. T. Leary,
Henry G Sommers,	R J. Fisher,
E H. McDonald,	Wm. Stephan,
Wm. Doehrman,	S. C. Lumbard,
R. C. Bell,	E. M. Wilson,
J. E K. France,	M. C. Gross,
Thomas McGee,	J. D. Bond,
Byron Hattersley,	J. Mommer, jr.,
Frank Dildine,	K. J. Bauer,
J. D. Sarnighausen,	John Dalman,
Wm. Kaough,	C. Flaugh,
Anselm Fuelber,	J. H. Fry,
O. E. Bradway,	Wm. Bittler.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION

Of Officers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

A Pleasant Event at Hibernian Hall Sunday Night—Address of Hon. W. P. Breen.

Hibernian hall was filled to overflowing last night with a crowd that assembled to witness the public installation of the officers of Divisions Nos. 1 and 3, of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and to enjoy the entertainment that was to accompany it. County President M. F. Belger was the installing officer and the following were the officers who were inducted into office:

DIVISION NO 1.

President—John H. Rohan.
Vice President—John Brannan.
Recording Secretary—John J. Reed
Financial Secretary—Patrick Ryan.
Treasurer—Owen Barry.

DIVISION NO. 3.

President—Daniel J. Gordon.
Vice President—P. E Bresnahan.
Recording Secretary—C. J. Moran.
Financial Secretary—Hugh Hogun, jr.
Treasurer—J. B. Ryan.

After the installation of the officers a very interesting program was rendered. It was as follows:

Piano solo.....Miss Kate Sweeney
Vocal duet.....E. J. Lennon and Mrs. M. F. Belger.
Address.....Hon. W. P. Breen
Song.....Charles Dunn
Vocal duet.....Mr. and Miss McKay
Piano solo.....Miss Kate Sweeney
Vocal solo.....Miss Jennie O'Brien

The program was a most pleasing one in every particular, and was heartily applauded. The address of Mr. Breen was listened to with close attention. He gave an outline of the objects and aims of the order and said that the foundation stone of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was true Christian charity.

Any order or organization, he said, that has for its object the practice of charity is worthy the respect of every human being. It is a gift from God. Mr. Breen followed the history of Ireland in which is written the valorous and patriotic deeds of the sons of the Emerald Isle. He told of the greatness of the Irish people in art, literature, music and all other intellectual advancements, and told of the love of liberty that is implanted in the breast of every man but which, in the Irishman, is kept from bursting forth by the oppression of British rule. He spoke of the fealty of the Irishman to the constitution and the laws and institutions of the United States, because it is the greatest country on the globe, and said that to be a good Hibernian a man must be a good American citizen, loyal to her flag and her institutions and charitable to all mankind.

Mr. Breen's address was roundly applauded.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians has had a remarkable growth in this city. It was first organized three years ago with thirty-five members. Last summer division No. 2 was organized, and during the early winter division No. 3 came into existence. The membership now numbers over 600 in the three divisions. Col. J. H. Rohan has been president of division No. 1 ever since its organization and was honored again by relection this year.

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Their Ranks Being Depleted by the Dozens.

So the Spanish Telegraph to the World, But Nary a Spaniard Hurt.

HAVANA, Jan. 13—Quite a commotion was caused in certain circles here last night by the report that the insurgents were approaching Havana. The news spread with great rapidity and there was considerable relief among the Spanish authorities when it was discovered that the alarming reports grew out of the explosion of an immense torpedo in the village of Vedao, near this city. There was very little news from the frontier this morning and it was all of an unimportant character. Dispatches from Santiago de Cuba tell of a skirmish there in which the insurgents left seven killed and the troops captured nine prisoners.

From Matanzas there was a despatch announcing another skirmish between the insurgents and the Spanish troops during which the former had eight killed in addition to their leader, Roquerdeuz. The insurgents are also said to have retired carrying with them thirty-two wounded.

At Mount Guayabo, a new band of insurgents, commanded by Ruperto Sanchez, in a brush with the troops, had five men wounded. The insurgents, who have been in the vicinity of Managua, about twelves miles from this city, have retired with the loss of five killed and twenty-seven wounded. As intimated in these dispatches, General Maximo Gomez, at the head of his insurgent column, has executed a countermarch. He seems to have reached Las Mangas, south of Aretmas, in the province of Pinar del Rio, and then he turned round and headed eastward for Alquizar and Gaiurametna, and when last heard from was moving northward toward Havana after passing Quivicin. General Maceo was last reported at Bahiahonde, and Bandera is said to be at San Cristobal, and to the westward of Havana and in the province of Pinar del Rio. Another report has it that General Maceo's forces are moving eastward with the intention of placing himself in communication with General Gomez. The Spanish authorities here claim that the insurgents will now leave the provinces of Havana and Pinar del Rio for the province of Matanzas.

LOCAL LINES.

The Fort Wayne Grays had a very interesting drill on Bass' lake yesterday afternoon. About 500 people were present.

Revival services at the Berry street M E. church tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. C. C. Cissell, pastor, will preach and conduct evangelistic services. The membership and friends of the church are invited to be present. A cordial welcome for all.

Saturday evening a party of young people gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs. Baty, on West Superior street, to form a sleighing party to drive to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerick, a short distance west of Dunfee. Notwithstanding the fact that the streets were pretty badly spoiled, the party was given and the country roads were found to be in good condition. Music of all kinds passed away the time and the party soon reached their destination. At 12 o'clock a bounteous supper was served, after which games and music were indulged in until the morning light dispelled the darkness of the night when the party left for home. Those forming the party were as follows: Misses Nora Wilsey, Leora Hale, Alice Baty, Ida Baty, Nora Congdon, Bessie Wilson, Maude Wilson, Georgie Baty, Mrs Baty, Messrs. Ed. Cope, Irwin Stafford, Robert Cook, Charles Howell, Ed. Keel, Harry Whitney, and several others who were met at the home.

HOARDED THE MAIL.

For Seven Years the Postmistress Failed to Deliver it.

Postoffice Inspector Fletcher Makes a Remarkable Discovery at a Floyd County Postoffice.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 13—Postoffice Inspector William T. Fletcher, of this city, has discovered a postoffice in this state that, among curiosities in the annals of the department, rivals them all. At Georgetown, Floyd county the postoffice is conducted by Miss Louisa Mutweiler, an old maid, who had some most peculiar ways. For a long time complaints have been received at the postoffice department of mail that was addressed to this office that was not delivered. Finally Mr. Fletcher was ordered to make an investigation. When he appeared at the office he found the postmistress standing on about three feet of mail matter that had accumulated on the floor of the office. This was last Friday. Mr. Fletcher called in several of the citizens of the place, who were the bonds men of the postmistress, and began cleaning up the office. He hauled away forty one handcart uls of second-class matter from the floor of the office. This was placed in another building.

He then began a further examination of the premises. He found seventeen tie sacks full of other mail matter stored in almost every conceivable place. Some of it was stuck away in old chests; other was tied up in bundles and covered with old dress skirts. This matter was of dates ranging all through the last seven years.

He found over three thousand letters dated back as far as 1889, some of them of considerable importance, and all addressed to people living near the office. One letter contained the accounts of a brandy guager that had been returned to him from the internal revenue department for correction more than three years ago. J. J. Thomas, one of Miss Mutweiler's bondsmen, who assisted in the work, found a letter addressed to himself, containing some insurance policies that had been mailed three years ago.

When Mr. Fletcher called at the office Miss Mutweiler did not want to let him in, but she soon recognized his authority and admitted him. After he had straightened out the office, during which time the postmistress was excluded, she reappeared and began a search for her registry books, which she thought had been carted away with the other things of the office. After being assured that they were all right, she retired again. During the last six months Miss Mutweiler has not registered a letter. When Mr. Fletcher took charge of the office she did not have $1 worth of stamps and stamped envelopes in the office. Mr. Fletcher turned the office over to her bondsmen, who will select some one to act as postmaster until the department can make an appointment.

The case was pronounced by Mr Fletcher as one of the most peculiar he has had in his experience of seventeen years. Miss Mutweiler has been postmistress at Georgetown for fifteen years. The mail discovered dates back seven years.

It is not known whether she discharged her duties properly prior to 1889 or not. Imagination can picture many things that might have been otherwise if this servant of Uncle Sam had properly discharged her duties. No one will ever know the heartaches and the permanent estrangements that were caused by the failure of Miss Mutweiler to deliver the sweet epistles of lovers that came into her hands. This revelation will explain to many why that long-looked-for letter never came, and why some heartbroken girl made a loveless marriage when she thought she was deserted by the only man she ever loved. Imagination might go further and see a sad faced girl making daily calls at the little postoffice window for a letter, her face growing thinner every day, until finally sickness, aggravated by the pain of disappointment, ends in the blighting of a bud.

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Mrs. Runnitt—Because men continue to wear the pants notwithstanding.

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Stone—I am trying to marry her.

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The Real Ruler of All the Russias Is a Priest of the Greek Church.

Constantine Pobedonostseff, obu-procurer of the most holy synod and the power behind the throne which shapes the destinies of the Russian empire, is the son of a university professor and was born in 1827. His youth and early manhood were spent in the atmosphere of logic and causistry, and his boyish diversion was a tireless search for the bond between premise and conclusion. Later he received an education in law and universal science, and on graduation obtained a position in the department of the senate at Moscow, and he obtained permission to deliver lectures at the university on civil law. These lectures were subsequently embodied in "A Course of Civil Law," published in the next three years. The translation of Mr. Gladstone's "Bulgarian Honors" and "The Question of the East," of "The Imitation of Christ," by Thomas a-Kempis, and of Theersit's "Christian Principles of Family Life," completed his literary labors. Through the good offices of the grand duchess, Helena Pavlovna, M. Pobedonostseff was appointed tutor to the then heir apparent, Nicholas Alexandrovitch, and to his brother, the former czar. Alexander formed a strong liking for him on account of his cut-and-dried system of

M. POBEDONOSTSEFF.
(Russian Statesman.)

religion and policy and he had a ready answer for every question. The crown prince died in 1865 and the grand duke became heir to the throne. In 1866 he invited his instructor to remain two years longer about his person, had him appointed member of the imperial council, and in 1880 placed him in his present position.

An Aged Author.

After a long diplomatic career, Sir Edward Malet has entered upon the more perilous one of writing opera libbrettos. The book of "Herold," lately produced at Covent Garden, was announced as his, but, to his great indignation, the text had been "edited" and changed in what seemed to him the most cruel and shocking manner. A great part of the story was simply excised. So Sir Edward determined that his friends shall not be under any delusion as to the real character of his libretto, is circulating it privately, showing the beauties as they came from his pen, and as they were mutilated by a tyrannical impresario.

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"Cap'n," he said, "what's the price?"

"Five cents a trip," was the answer.

"All right," he responded, tendering a silver coin. "Take yer nick out o' this."

"Sit down. The conductor'll get it."

"Sit down in this car along with the mob? Not much. I'm goin in front an ride in the hammock."

The car had started, and the man was hanging with one foot on the step. He kept a furtive eye on the conductor.

"You must mean the feller," said the gripman.

"Christen it ez you please. There's where I wanter ride."

"Well, you can't. It's against the rules."

"But I've set my heart on it. Next to the cowcatcher of a locomotive, it's the most select place in the outfit."

"It can't be done."

"Then we parts. I'm sorry ter lose ye, cos in the few blocks I've rode with ye ye've turned out ter be right good company. But I can't ride with the wulgar herd thet wears musk an carries babies, when I might ez well be swinging in comfort, smokin a cigar an viewin the unobstructed landscape. Besides, ye're the 'leventh feller thet's refused me that berth today, an I ain't got much furder to go nohow."

He dropped off just as the conductor reached for his fare.

"Don't think I'm beatin ye," he shouted. "Ef ye'll let me ride in the hammock, I'll pay double fare an go over the bull route with ye."—Washington Star.

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All parties having knowledge of acts of cruelty to animals or children will greatly favor and assist the Fort Wayne Humane Society by telephoning or writing such information to Officer Schlaudroff, 82 Clinton street. Telephone No. 55.

Miss Abbie Carter, of Defiance, Ohio, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Taylor, of West Wayne street.

KILLED AT MONMOUTH.

Louis Scheiffestine's Dead Body Found on the Tracks.

Items of Local Interest Picked Up on a Dull Day and Arranged for the Reader.

The man killed on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, four miles north of Decatur, last Saturday morning, has been identified as Louis Scheiffestine, who lived near Monmouth. He had been in this city, going home on No 6 He got off the train at Williams and started to walk up the track towards his home. The remains were found by the section men and turned over to Acting Coroner A. J. Hill, who held an inquest and then turned the body over to the relatives for burial. Scheiffestine was thirty-one years old and unmarried. He leaves a father, mother, brother and several sisters. The deceased was a brother to Fred Scheiffestine, foreman of the truck gang in the Pittsburg lumber yards. He was a frequent visitor in Fort Wayne. It is supposed that the man was struck by the northbound Grand Rapids train No 5, and Engineer J R. Anderson, who brought that train in Saturday morning, was summoned to Decatur to attend a coroner's inquest today. Anderson did not see any man on the tracks at the point where Scheiffestine's body was found and did not know of the accident until yesterday.

GETS HIS FUEL FREE.

Oscar Wilder, a resident of Marion, Ohio, and a passenger brakeman on the Chicago and Erie road, lives along the line of the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo railroad. He had a big tin rooster made, which he mounted on a pole and put up in his back yard. Under the rooster he had a conspicuous sign painted, which reads: "Do not throw at this." The Hocking Valley is a great coal road, most of the traffic consisting of coal. The brakemen and firemen were not long in discovering that tin rooster, and to show their contempt for the sign, they throw big pieces of coal at it while the trains are passing and they try their best to knock the rooster out of time. Wilder already has several tons of coal in his bins and is thinking of engaging in the sale of the fuel to work off the surplus.

HOW FLEMING WAS KILLED.

The Toledo Bee of last Saturday contained the following account of the accident which cost Herbert D. Fleming, night depot master at the union station in Toledo, his life. "He had just sent out the two special theater trains that came to Toledo last evening —one over the old road and the other over the air line. He was moving rapidly across the tracks between the cars left standing there and stepped on a track just as the pony backed down He was thrown under the wheels and they ran over his body diagonally, from the shoulder to the hips."

The Wabash uses the same depot and the dead man was well known to the trainmen on that line. Fleming leaves a wife and two children. The wife is an invalid.

AN ANDREWS MAN HURT.

F. Schwartz, of Andrews, was in the city last Saturday and boarded Wabash train No. 43 in the evening, with the intention of going home. But when the train started on its westward journey Schwartz changed his mind and made a rush for the coach door. He jumped and when his feet struck the platform he pitched forward, scratching and skinning his face upon the planks in a manner which will make him unrecognizable to his friends at first glance. The man was cared for by the attaches at the freight house and later took a train for home.

BRIEF MENTION.

J. C. Peeples, of the Pittsburg planing mills, is sick.

William Sudabrink, a cabinetmaker at the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off duty.

James Costigan, clerk at the electric works, is sick and unable to be at his desk.

It is said that the Erie will abolish its district passenger and division freight agencies.

After two weeks' illness, Machinist Fred Geerken resumed work in the Pittsburg shops this morning.

John Weber, of the Pittsburg round house, resumed work this morning, after an illness of four or five days.

The electric works this morning displayed the card "No Help Wanted." The works recently increased its shop force.

Herman Remmert, machinist at the Bass works, has recovered from an attack of the grip which kept him from his work last week.

Joseph Carry was struck upon the forehead Saturday afternoon by a piece of iron which made a gash over an inch long. He will be off duty a few days. George Killen, of the same shop, is disabled by sickness.

The Valparaiso Messenger says that the Fort Wayne road will build twenty miles of double track east of that city next summer.

The Baltimore and Ohio road refuses to enter into an agreement with other lines on the matter of fixed charges for carrying bicycles.

Jules Simons, Pittsburg machinist, is sick again, having suffered a relapse of the grip. He worked Saturday, and that night was taken ill.

Robert Taylor, Louis Altevoght and Louis Cupp, machinist at the Bass works, failed to put in an appearance today and are supposed to be sick.

Of the roads centering at Kansas city, all but one, the Chicago and Alton, have voted to become members of the Missouri and Kansas Car Service association.

James Trythall, Frank Girard, M. H. Morrison and John Rost, whose furnaces were undergoing repairs last week, resumed their duties in the Pittsburg shop this morning.

On Thursday there were loaded on the Indiana, Decatur and Western, at stations between Decatur and Montezuma, a distance of thirty-five miles, seventy-two car loads of corn.

At the Paris station of the Western railroad of France, last year an average of 108,328 passengers arrived and departed daily; nearly 40,000,000 passengers arrived and departed during the dear.

On the detroit division of the Wabash road freight traffic is so heavy that two of the five passenger engines have been hauling freight trains for the past week. The remaining passenger engines were kept busy keeping trains moving.

Captain Jack Kensill is working again, after ten days' absence on account of an injured eye. John Wallace and Florence Boerger, also of the Pittsburg boiler shop, have recovered from their illness and this morning reported for duty.

G. W. Danner, Chris Ryan and G. Schiefer, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, have returned to their respective duties after being on the absentee list several days. W. F. Fisher, a flue cutter, also reported for work, after an illness of three or four days.

Oscar Turley, one of the Wabash yard engineers at this point, went to St Louis Saturday evening to visit his father and accompany the old gentleman on an eastern journey as far as this city. The elder Turley will visit England, his native country, to remain a few months.

One of the finest trains ever seen in Fort Wayne will pull into the Wabash station tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. It will be the special carrying the Gates Mexican excursion party and will be held here for a few minutes to allow the passengers, who come from Toledo and nearby points, an opportunity to meet and converse with their Fort Wayne friends. The train will have at its rear a magnificent observation car, and will be made up with new parlor cars finished and equipped in the most complete manner. It will be an interesting sight and no doubt many of our people will be at the depot to witness it.

HIS GREAT MISTAKE.

1—You get down off that cab, sir, an' I'll black your eye.

2—Just let me get my hands on that impudent rascal!

3—Mrs. New Woman—Well, now, who 'er yer goin' ter t'ump?

THEY MOVED.

A Gang of Gypsies Gave the Officers the Slip.

A gang of dirty looking gypsies who were encamped at the high banks, along the river, were reported to the police on Saturday. Officer Schlaudroff visited the camp and found things in a bad shape. The leaders of the gang were named Levi and John Pierce. They had eight or ten old bony horses and the animals had no shelter whatever. They were standing in an open space and tramping in the mud and slush. It was a place entirely unfit for them and Mr. Schlaudroff swore out a warrant for the arrest of the men. Yesterday he went back to the camp to arrest the fellows and found that the entire outfit had moved and neither hide nor hair of them could be found anywhere.

THE CLUBS.

Meetings to be Held by Them This Week.

The club meetings for this week are as follows:

Tonight—The Parliamentary Coterie meets at public library building.

Tuesday—Woman's Reading clubs meets with Mrs. C. R. Fairbank.

Wednesday—Wednesday club meets with Mrs. C. E. Read; Seven club, with Mrs. Joe Bell.

Thursday—Missionary Reading club meets in parlors of First Presbyterian church.

Friday—Morning Musical meets at Fort Wayne club; sketching at Students' Art league.

MAD DOG SCARE.

South Broadway Excited Over a Playful Canine.

Poundmaster Brown was called to South Broadway Saturday afternoon by a report that a mad dog was raising a disturbance in that neighborhood. He found that the dog was not mad but that he was in a playful mood and was following and running after some school children.

Will Report Favorably.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The senate committee on judiciary today decided to report favorably upon the nomination of Charles B. Simonton to be district attorney of the western district of Tennessee. This appointment was opposed by Senator Harris and charges were filed, but were not regarded as sufficient by the judiciary committee The nomination of Wm. L. Marbury to be district attorney of Maryland, who is opposed by Senator Gorman, again went over.

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ANNIE LAURIE'S BIRTHDAY.

The Scotch Lassie Was Born 213 Years Ago.

Most people have an idea that Annie Laurie was a creation of Robert Burns' mind. The fact is, she was a real personage, who lived and died many years before the poet of the people saw the light. It is also probably true that the words of the beautiful ballad were written by a man named Douglas, who was in love with Miss Laurie, but failed to win her. Annie Laurie was the daughter of Sir Robert Laurie, the first baronet of that name, and was born at Maxwelton house, the family residence, located in Glencairn, one of the most beautiful spots in all of that lovely Scottish shire, Dumfries. Her birth is thus set down by her father in what is called the "Barjorg MS.:" "At the pleasure of the Almighty God, my daughter Annie Laurie was born upon the 16th day of December, 1682 years, about 6 o'clock in the morning, and was baptized by Mr. George ——, minister of Glencairn."

Maxwelton house was originally the castle of the earls of Glencairn. It was bought in 1611 by Stephen Laurie, the founder of the Laurie family. Stephen was a Dumfries merchant. The castle was a turreted building. In it Annie Laurie was born.

It was at Maxwelton house that a traveler came across the missing link in the chain of evidence that fixed the authorship of the song upon Douglas of

ANNIE LAURIE.

Fingland. Fingland is in the parish of Dalry, in the adjacent shire of Kirkcudbright, and Douglas was a somewhat near neighbor of Annie. The present proprietor of Maxwelton house is Sir Emelius Laurie, formerly rector of St. John's, Paddington, when he was known as Sir Emelius Baylay. He took the name of Laurie when he succeeded to the family estates. Sir Emilius is a descendant of Sir Walter, third baronet, and brother of Annie.

Some forty years ago a famous ballad singer was on a visit to a house in the north of England. One evening after dinner she sang "Annie Laurie," and was cordially thanked by another guest, a venerable Scottish dame of 97. The latter said she was a granddaughter of Douglas of Fingland who, she said, was in love with Annie, but "did na get her after a'." She was not quite sure as to Annie's fate, she said. Some folks had said that she died unmarried, while others had said she married Ferguson of Craigdarrock, but she rather thought that was the truth.

The music of the song is modern, and was composed by Lady John Scott, aunt by marriage of the present duke of Buccleuch. The composer was only guessed at for many years.

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Wild Ride of a Brakeman.

A runaway freight car with a brakeman clinging to the top wildly shouting for help rushed across the railway suspension bridge spanning the great gorge of the Niagara the other night. The car was going at the rate of thirty miles an hour when it crossed the tracks of all the other trunk roads. Luckily, there were no trains passing, nor were there any on the bridge. The car sped over the bridge and into the Grand Trunk yards on the Canadian side, where it ran into a passenger coach and was wrecked. William Hoffman, the brakeman, escaped without serious injury.

SENATOR CAMERON.

Would Sooner Be a Private Citizen Than a Member of the Senate.

Senator James Donald Cameron's announcement of his voluntary withdrawal from public life at the close of his present term was considerable of a surprise to the country, though, as his letter to State Senator McCarrell, of Harrisburg, Pa., indicates, it was not the result of sudden or newly formed impulse. "You will remember," he writes to Mr. McCarrell, "that in a conversation in my home at Harrisburg, just after my election to the senate, I told you, as well as many other friends, that under no circumstances would I again be a candidate for reelection. Since then nothing has occurred to change my mind." No doubt these are the exact facts, and it is reasonably certain that if he had changed his mind he would be re-elected if his party were in the majority in the legislature. His attitude on the saloon question was obnoxious to some of his constituents, no doubt, and would have been made the basis of an opposition more or less feeble which has always antagonized him. But the people of Pennsylvania don't take much interest in that subject. Senator Cameron was born in Middletown, Dauphin county,

SENATOR CAMERON.

Pa., in 1833, and graduated from Princeton college in 1852. He entered the Middletown bank as clerk, became its cashier and afterwards president, which position he now fills. He was president of the Northern Central railroad from 1863 until 1874, when it passed into the control of the Pennsylvania railroad. He was secretary of war under President Grant from May, 1876, to March, 1877. He was a delegate to the national Republican conventions in 1868, 1876 and 1880, and was chairman of the national Republican convention in 1880. In 1877 he was first elected to the United States senate to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of his father, General Simon Cameron, and was re-elected in 1879, 1885 and 1891. His term expires March 3, 1897. He is a quiet, unobtrusive gentleman, well equipped in the matter of education, experience and patriotism for public life. He is a strong advocate of free silver coinage.

Davis' Old Home.

Within a short time the old home of Jefferson Davis in Richmond, Va., will be thrown open to the public as a Confederate museum. "The white house of the Confederacy," as it has been called, has been the property of the city for many years, and has recently been used as a school house. A room in the house will be assigned to each of the states that seceded for a collection of relics, and the first response is from Georgia, which sends the cape, gauntlets and sword of General Lee among other things.

Sketch of Congressman Hitt.

Congressman Robert R. Hitt was born at Urbana, Ohio, Jan. 16, 1834, and at the age of 3 years came with his parents to Ogle county, Illinois. He was educated at Mount Morris college and at Asbury university. He was elected to the Forty-seventh congress to fill a vacancy, and was successively re-elected to the Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, Fiftieth, Fifty-first, Fifty-second, Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth congresses. He is a man of fine appearance, an eloquent speaker and a most agreeable gentleman. In his youth he was an official stenographer at the capitol, and his familiarity with the men and events of the war period supplies him with a rich fund of reminiscences. He is Mr. Reed's most intimate friend in the house, and the two are almost inseparable.

CONGRESSMAN HITT.

OUR GREAT
ANNUAL CLEARING SALE
IS NOW ON.
Cash Discounts offered on every article of Clothing in our house.
Many Goods at Cost, others below, and all at a great discount. Overcoats, Ulsters and Suits Going fast at Sacrificing Prices.
Store Closes at 6 p. m.
PIXLEY & CO.

The Crew Saved.

CAPE HENRY, Va., Jan. 13.—The steamer reported ashore last night at New Inlet, N. C, proves to be the American steamer James Woodall, with a cargo of sugar and molasses, from New Orleans, La., for Baltimore, Md. The vessel stranded on the outer reef off New Inlet life saving station at 8 o'clock last night and is now full of water. The crew of ten men were saved by the life savers. The chances for saving the vessel are unfavorable.

A False Diagnosis.

La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

Mothers, Be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. May8eod&w

He Knew Her.

The Landlady—Can you recommend this turkey?

Marketman—I can, ma'am. With careful usage, that bird will last you a month.

His Reason.

Tim—Why do you say that your cook is like your bicycle?

Brim—I have to give her a blowing-up about once a week, or she's no good.

Beecham's pills are for biliousness, bilious headache, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid liver, dizziness, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, loss of appetite, sallow skin, etc., when caused by constipation; and constipation is the most frequent cause of all of them.
Go by the book. Pills 10¢ and 25¢ a box. Book *free* at your druggist's or write B. F. Allen Co., 365 Canal Street, New York.
Annual sales more than 6,000,000 boxes.

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at No, 133 W. Superior street. 13t2

WANTED—A good girl for general housework, at 59 E. Wayne street. 3-tf

WANTED—Machine repair work to do at the shop at No. 59 East Columbia street. 28tf

WANTED—A home for a girl seven years old. Corner Rockhill and Pritchard streets. tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family with no children. 29 W. Jefferson street.

WANTED—Agents. Terms liberal. Address Indian Medicine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich. s27-1m

WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisment, front page, first column. 4-tf

WANTED—Washing to do at home. Will call for and deliver same. Call or address, Mrs. J. T., 149 Wallace street. 12tf

WANTED—Stenographer. A young man from 18 to 20 years of age with good reference. Address A. B. C., care letter carrier No. 2.

WANTED—Parties to donate the following articles to the Y. W. C. A.: One step ladder, one door mat, few small tables, several new comforts, pictures, magazines, bookcase and rocking chairs. 10-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with board 46 East Jefferson. 9t12

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house goods, etc. See advertisement first column first page. 19-tf

FOR RENT—Houses—Seven-room brick, 83 W. Main street, and seven-room frame, 128 Walton avenue. Inquire at 57 W. Main street. 11-tf

FOR RENT—On or before Dec. 18, dwelling No. 197 West Wayne street; modern improvements. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, No. 7 Court street. nv19-1m

FOR RENT—Handsome storerooms in the Trentman block; being divided into 20 foot front rooms; rents very reasonable. Apply, No. 72 West Wayne street. 18-tf

FOR SALE.

SHOW CASES } At Manufacturers' Prices, by G. E. Bursley & Co. 20-tf

FOR SALE—Money to loan on pianos, etc. See advertisement first page first column. 19-tf

FOR SALE—A Crane elevator as good as new. Suitable for a five story building. Enquire this office. tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Heating and cook stoves and furniture of all kinds, and fitures, at 246 Calhoun street. nv20-1m

LOST.

LOST—A pocketbook near Wabash depot, containing $5 bill and a $2 bill, 4 silver dollars, some change and a pension certificate. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office. 11-2t

PROFESSIONAL

DOCTOR MARY WHERRY
Office and Residence 26 Madison St
Specialty—Diseases of Women.
Hours: 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.
Telephone 470. j 1 wass 13-w

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JAMES E. GRAHAM,
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No. 32 East Berry street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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Insurance, Real Estate and Loans.
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HAMILTON NATIONAL BANK.
Capital $200,000. Surplus $225,000.
The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months.
President—Charles McCulloch.
Cashier—John Mohr, jr.

White National Bank
Capital & Surplus, $235,000.
Pays 3 per cent interest per annum on time deposits.
Safe deposit boxes for rent at $5 per annum.

PHYSICIANS.

DR. WM. D. RUHL.
Office and Residence 454 Calhoun St.
Hours: 7 to 9 a. m.; 12 to 2 p. m.; 6 to 9 p. m.
Telephone 371.

DR. B. GARD—To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex, may consult me free of charge at my office, 13 W. Wayne St. Telephone 265.

G. W. BOWEN, M. D.,
Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon.
Office hours for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12. Office No. 12 West Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Special attention paid to chronic diseases.

DR. H. W. NEISWONGER.
Physician and Surgeon.
Specialist in all Acute or Chronic diseases. Special attention given to all private diseases and Diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys. Office 33 Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Indiana. OFFICE HOURS: from 6a. m. to 9p. m.

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DRUGGISTS.
Corner Calhoun and Wayne Sts. Phone 128

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In Vellum, Levant, Morrocco, Calf and Russia.
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Of all kinds, with Perfect Flat Opener.
The Binding of Rare and Extra Illustrated Books one of our specialties.
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Cash paid for used Furniture, Carpets Stoves. Entire Furniture of hotels privates residences a specialty.
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28 West Main Stree

The Pennsylvania Station,
Pennsylvania Lines
Trains Run by Central Time
AS FOLLOWS:
Daily. † Daily, except Sunday.
Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station, Fort Wayne, Ind.

East Bound.		West Bound.
2.25	* 5 40 a. m.	* 1 25 a. m.
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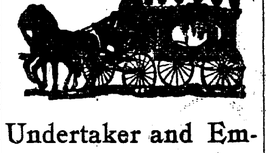
	† 1 10 p. m.	* 7 10 a. m.
	† 4 45 p. m.	†11 40 a. m.
	* 9 25 p. m. Limited	* 4 45 p. m.
	†10 55 p. m. From Chi...	* 5 40 p. m.

J. C. Peltier.

Undertaker and Embalmer.
17 West Wayne Street.

A. HATTERSLEY & SON,
PLUMBERS!
STEAM AND GAS FITTERS.
48 East Main Street.
Fort Wayne, Ind.

★ Wabash R. R. ★

No.	GOING EAST.	Depart.
42.	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily....	4:48 a. m.
70.	Local Freight, Except Sunday....	6:30 a. m.
46.	Kan. City & Toledo Ex., ex. Sun.	1:15 p. m.
44.	Fast Mail & Express, daily.....	7:12 p. m.
34.	Lafayette Acc., ex. Sunday....	11:30 a. m.
	GOING WEST.	
45.	St. Louis Express, daily.....	2:05 a. m.
41.	Kan. City Cannon Ball, ex. Sun..	1:35 p. m.
43.	St. Louis Limited, daily.....	2:20 p. m.
33.	Lafayette Acc., ex. Sunday.....	5:30 p. m.

FINDLAY, FORT WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD.
STATIONS.

Leave	EAST.	Arrive
Ft. Wayne Mxd.	8...8 15 am	3 45 pm 7 00 am
Haviland	" ".....	11 10 am 3 12 pm 3 07 am
Cloverdale	" ".....	12 40 am 4 24 pm 3 37 am
Ottawa	" ".....	2 25 am 5 01 pm 9 15 am
Toledo (C. H. & D.)...		7 15 pm 11 05 am
Findlay	.....3 55 am	5 45 pm 10 00 am
Arrive	WEST.	Leave
Ft. Wayne Mxd.	31...10 45 am	7 15 pm 5 00 pm
Haviland	..... 9 38 am	6 07 pm 3 00 pm
Cloverdale	" ..... 9 08 am	5 35 pm 12 40 pm
Ottawa	" ..... 8 30 am	5 01 pm 11 05 pm
Toledo (C. H. & D.)...	8 45 am	3 15 pm
Findlay	7 45 am	4 05 pm 2 45 pm

Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne. All trains daily except Sundays.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

GOING NORTH.	LEAVE.
*For Grand Rapids and North	2.30 am
	8.15 am
	2.55 pm
From Richmond	6.55 pm
SOUTHBOUND.	
*For Richmond and Cincinnati	11.45 pm
	5.45 am
	1.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	7.35 pm
From Grand Rapids	11.25 pm

*Daily.
All other trains daily except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 482 Way Freight	6 35 pm
No. 498 Chi. Express and Mail	10 45 am
No. 490 Detroit & Ind'p'ls Express	1 55 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART.
No. 483 Way Freight	8 40 pm
No. 497 Through Express and Mail	11 45 am
No. 489 Detroit & Indianapolis Ex	4 45 pm

SCHEUMAN & KLAEHN,
Funeral Directors and Embalmers,
No. 39 West Main Street, Fort Wayne, Ind.
TELEPHONE—For night call, Nos. 72 and 186; for office, No. 223.

Cheap Meals served to women.
Young Women's Christian Association.
NOON REST,
24 West Washington Street.
Breakfast, 6:30 to 8. Dinner, 11 to 2.
Supper, 5:30 to 7.

F. J. ZIMMERLY & CO.
PRACTICAL PLUMBERS.
Gas and Steam Fitters.
135 CALHOUN STREET.

Have You Seen
the new POZZONI PUFF BOX? It is given free with each box of Powder. Ask for it.

PERSONAL—If the gentlemen who told his companion on the train, that he would buy 10,000 bushels of wheat if he knew how to go about it will write to C. F. Van Winkle & Co., R. 66, 232 LaSalle street, Chicago, he will receive a copy of the book, "Speculation and How to Trade," free of charge. j 1 wass 13-w

NICKEL PLATE. EFFECTIVE Nov. 24, 1895.
The New York, Chicago & St. Louis R R
Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets.
Buffalo depot, Exchange and Michigan sts.
Nos. 3 and 4 and local freight trains daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

EAST.	Arr.	Dep.
N. Y. & Boston Ex. No. 2...	*2 55 am	*3 05 am
Cleveland Mail No. 4.....	*11 30 pm	*11 40 pm
Eastern Express No 6.....	*6 20 pm	*6 25 pm
Local Freight.....	14 35 pm	17 30 pm
WEST	Arr.	Dep.
Chicago Express No. 1.....	*1 55 am	*2 05 am
Chicago Mail No 3.....	*11 05 pm	*11 15 pm
Western Express No. 5.....	*4 05 pm	*4 15 pm
Local Freight.....	12 20 pm	10 00 am

Nos. 1 and 5 through drawing room and sleeping cars to Chicago.
Nos. 2 and 6 drawing room sleeping cars through to New York and Boston.
DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos. 5 and 2, and supper on No. 6. No. 1, supper at Cleveland. Nos. 3 and 4, dinner at Ft. Wayne. No. 4, supper at Bellevue.
Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains. Insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute.
Baggage checked through to destination.
For rates and other information call on or address
B. F. Horner, Gen. Pass. Agt., Cleveland, O.
A. W. Johnston, Gen. Supt., Cleveland, O.
M. C. Baker, District Pass. Agt., Ft. Wayne.

ROOT & COMPANY

THIS JANUARY COST SELLING

At the Old Popular, Reliable Store

Is passing all records—we knew that it would. No such preparations as has been made here for this event, the past weeks and weeks could result in anything else. We put before our patrons goods at prices worth the getting—worth coming many miles to get, and that is just what is going on. The neighboring cities and towns are coming—we see the new faces daily.

One hundred sales people are busy at selling the day long, as they have never been before.

UNDERWEAR selling was never so brisk as it is to day. We sell every piece for Women, Men, Misses' and Children at cost, and then such a stock to select from—as good today, to morrow as in the beginning of Fall.

Union Suits, Tights, Vests, Drawers, in Silk, Wool, Cashmere, Merino, Fleeced—

ALL AT COST.

Ladies' Gowns—

Men's Night Shirts, Children's Gowns, made of pretty Flannelettes; made in a home-made up manner. Also all Ladies' and Misses' Underwear at cost—and there sin't a piece of Simon Stern's Underwear but what is a gem. **ALL AT COST.**

Blankets and Underwear—just what you want today. We sell at cost. A few more of those elegant California Blankets left, and those grand blankets at $3.88 the pair.

ALL DRESS GOODS { **AT COST.**

This includes Black Goods, Silks, Colored Dress Goods, from part Cotton to the fine all wool and Silk and Wool.

AT HALF PRICE—

Every wrap in the cloak room, except two, numbers which we make a stir on. Two lots Ladies' Coats, new, sold at $7 and $8. We mark to $2.50 each.

Every day lessens the chance for pretty decorating pieces at a very small cost Near the elevator is what is left o' the big holiday stock. You may see something to put in a place here and there in the home. We let these go less than cost.

FINE LINEN DAMASKS. We are not surprised that the bulk of the great trade go after those fine Linen Damasks. A great truck load is added to the stock every day. We made ample preparations for every day of this sale.

One item just on sale in fine linens, 72 inch, heavy double damask, our own import—$1 85 should be the price; sale price $1 29, Napkins to match.

Another table full of those low price Napkins to greet our patrons tomorrow.

50c Cream Linen Damasks, 33c.
75c Cream Linen Damasks, 59c.
75c Bleached Linen Damasks, 59c.

All the beautiful Aart Linens, Fancy Linen pieces, Single Novelties, will be sold AT COST

WHITE QUILTS

Are selling freely. One good genuine Marseilles spread, at $1 37, the cheapest of its kind ever shown. Finer Quilts $1.67 and $1 79. At $2 59 we sell an english Quilt, hemmed, Satin Finish, one dollar less than value.

All Linen hand Crashes, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c.

Children's Eider-down Coats down to about one quarter value, 75c to $2 50 each. This is a bargain to be taken up quickly.

LADIES' SWEATERS

For Skating and Sleighing. A new line just in—lovely novelties.

No goods charged during this sale. All goods bought must be cash on delivery. No goods sent out on approval.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO

THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call 'phone 465 and they will call for your work.

16 ARCADE,

Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

H. M. Brothers read a very instructive and entertaining paper on "Tobacco and Its Effects on Man" at the institute of the W. C. T. U., held at Hoagland, in this county.

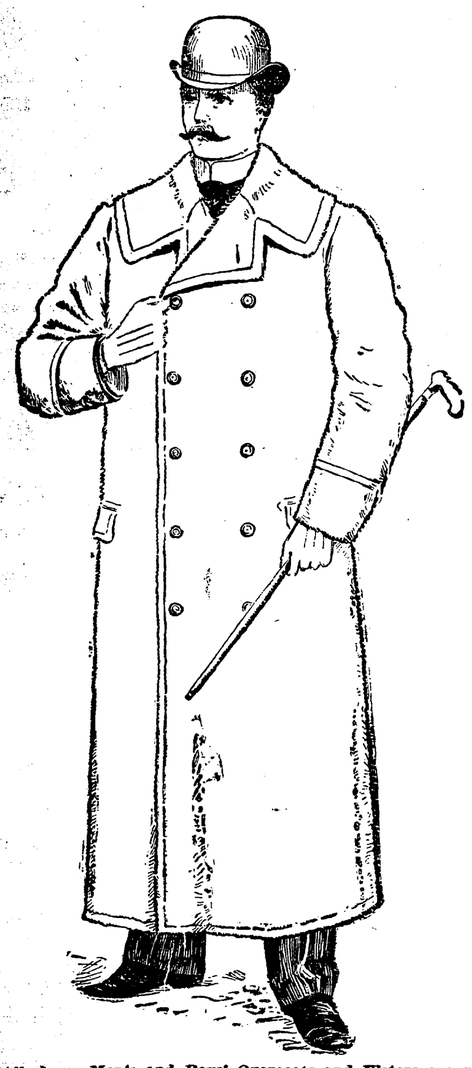
MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

Miss Allie Ballenger, who has been the guest of Miss Alice Woodworth, left today for Bluffton to visit Miss Mame Montgomery.



All of our Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters are now going at 25 per cent. off from our original low prices.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, JAN. 13 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 173.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—For Indiana: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; possibly light rain in extreme southern portions tonight; slight changes in temperature tonight; probably slightly warmer in northern portion Tuesday; variable winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Harry Jones left for New York today.

Mrs. L. Webb Bannister is ill with the grip.

Miss Alice Seabrease will leave for Cincinnati this week.

Miss Bessie VanNess leaves this evening for a visit in Wabash.

Mrs. Emma Balkhe is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Hoenig.

Miss Guild gave a thimble party this afternoon in honor of Miss Maier, of Chicago.

Mrs. S. B. Fleming and Mrs. A. B. Trentman, of Hartford City, are visiting in the city.

W. S. Oppenheim, of Chicago, will act as best man in the Bond-Brown nuptials on Wednesday.

Miss Kate Safford, who came to attend her brother's wedding, will return to Hartford, Conn., this week.

The Union Bible class will meet on Friday evening in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church. Mrs. D. B. Wells will teach the class.

Mat Rauh, who was spending the holidays with relatives and friends in this city, left today for the northwest in the interest of a corset company for whom he travels.

Miss Alice Hamil led the devotional meeting of the Epworth league at the Wayne street M. E. church last night and delivered an interesting talk on "The Alphabet of Prayer."

George Jacoby, of Murray street, fell on South Lafayette street, near Waltemath's grocery, at the noon hour yesday, and fractured the bones of the left arm, near the wrist. Dr. J. E. Miller reduced the fracture.

Miss Mattie B. Graham entertained at her home on Saturday the Happy Six at 5 o'clock tea. The following young ladies were present: Nellie Clark, Lizzie Lapp, Blanche Coombs, Myrtle Haines and Maud Clark.

Mrs. Hannah Hall has gone to Florida to spend several months at the winter home of her son, Willard Hall. Mrs. Hall was accompanied by Miss Landrigan, of Topeka, Kas., who has recently been the guest of Mrs. T. E. Ellison.

The musical services at the Westminster Presbyterian church last night was a program of vocal and instrumental selections of a high order of merit and interesting. A large audience listened to the sermon preached by Rev. J. L. Leeper.

The subject of the evening sermon of Rev. C. C. Cissell at the Berry street M. E. church last night was "The Prayer That Teaches to Pray." It was a most interesting exposition of the subject. Mr. O. E. Mohler led the devotional services of the Epworth League.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church met Friday. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. G. L Greenawalt. A paper on "A Backward Glance of the Year's Work" was read by Mrs. E F. Yarnelle, and one on "The Perils of the New West" by Mrs. I. M. VanSlyke.

It is being stated that the reason for the low gas pressure in this city during the cold weather is caused by the fact that several towns on the line of the Fort Wayne Gas company's mains from the gas fields to this city are supplied with gas from these pipes and that the drain is so great as to reduce the pressure in this city.

Rev L L. Henson delivered an interesting discourse at the Baptist Tabernacle yesterday morning on the "Book of Galatians," being the first of a series of expository sermons on this subject. In the evening his theme was "How to Be Saved," after which ordinance of baptism was administered. He had large audiences at both services.

The following out-of-town guests will be in attendance at the Bond-Brown wedding next Wednesday: Mrs Rena B. Maxwell, Bridgeton, N. J.; Mrs. M. B Talbot, Marion, Ind; the Misses Georgiana and Edith Sweetzer, of Marion, Ind; Mrs. Anna Robinson and daughter, Miss Susan, of Peru, Ind; Mr. and Mrs. E. G Evans, of Toledo, Ohio; Hon W. S. Oppenheim, of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Studebaker, of South Bend.

Meats, Flour, Butter and Eggs.

Best Sugar Cured Hams, 10c lb.
Good, Nice Shoulders, 6c lb.
Best Roll Butter, 16c lb.
Good Jar Butter, 12c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen, 20c.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Try a cup of Bursley's Blend Coffee at the People's Store. It will cost you nothing. 10 13 14

Valencia Oranges--Cheap.

Fresh shipment of 50 boxes arrived today, large, bright Fruit, 20c dozen.
Sweet Jamaicas, 20c dozen.
Small Messinas, 10c dozen.
Choice Malaga Grapes, 15c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

A cup of Chocolate will be served free to Ladies, on Tuesday, from 2 to 5 p. m., at Barcus' Restaurant, 96 Calhoun street. All are cordially invited.

California Dried Peaches Down.

A shipment of 100 bags just to hand, direct from Los Angeles, the nicest kind of bright yellow Fruits; formerly sold at 10c per pound, now selling at 7c per pound.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Mrs Robert Learmouth will leave this week for Chicago.

Miss Ida Knoker, of Huff street, has returned from Chicago.

Miss Irma Becker, of Albion, Neb., is the guest of Mrs. Julius Nathan.

Mrs. Elizabeth Joss entertained the Sewing club at cards this afternoon.

Miss Julia Wilson, of 42 Home avenue, is visiting relatives in Valparaiso and Chicago.

Dr. A. E. Bulson is confined to his home on West Wayne street, suffering from an attack of grip.

William Murphy of Force street, has returned from Philadelphia, where he has been visiting his grandparents.

I. H. Case, manager for the Kimball Piano Co., accompanied by Mrs. Case, is in Chicago selecting pianos for the spring trade.

F. F. Fee and family have moved into the east half of Mr. Hattersley's brick residence, on West Berry street. In the early spring Mr Fee will build on the site of his former home.

At her home on East Lewis street Miss Mattie Graham entertained the Happy Six Saturday afternoon. The young ladies present were: Misses Blanche Coombs, Nellie Clark, Maude Clark, Lizzie Lapp and Myrtle Haines.

The Rainbow Theatrical club met Thursday evening and was very pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Mayme McBennett from 7 to 10:30. At 9:30 a dainty luncheon was served and after finishing the evening program the meeting adjourned to meet again with the Misses Gertrude and Laura Greene.

Among the coming events of the week will be a full dress theatre party to the "Princess Bonnie" Thursday evening and a supper at the Wayne club, given by Mr. and Mrs. John White. Those who will be entertained are Messrs. and Mesdames Gus Rabus, Frank Fee, Charles Orr, Joe Rossell and Robert Learmouth.

There was a pretty wedding ceremony at the St. Patrick church at 7 o'clock this morning, the nuptial party being Miss Elizabeth Quinn and Mr. W. E. McLaughlin. The bride and groom left at noon, over the Grand Rapids road, for the south, and upon their return they will at once begin housekeeping at No. 466 South Harrison street. Mr. McLaughlin is Supt. P. S. O'Rourke's private secretary.

Miss Ethel Homsher received Saturday afternoon from 5 till 9 p. m. at the family residence on South Webster street, in honor of her thirteenth birthday. Games, music, tableau and pantomimes were the amusements of the evening. A delicate supper was served in course at 6:30 o'clock. The following misses were present: Clara Fronefield, May Kickley, Bessie Glenn, Clara Owens, Grace Gates, Floy Gates, Jessie Tuckey, Mable Homsher, Princess Collins, Flora Polhamus, May Whitney, Favor Freeland, Pearl Bond, Grace Chase, Myrtle Lewis, Flossie Blanchard, Grace Irwin and Anna Polhamus.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was a sleighing party given by Roland Walker and Fred Duereeh. The party drove to Wagner's farm, six miles south of the city. The evening was spent in games and music, and at 12 o'clock a delicious lunch was served. The party returned to the city at 1 o'clock. Among those present were the Misses Bertha Cour, Gertie Thompson, Blanch Wagner, Blanch Rennison, Ota Johnson, Elva Craig, Maude Jenness, Messrs. Dat Jenness, Harry Alderman, Albert Keplinger, Will Thompson, Roland Walker, Fred Duereeh, Chas. Isburry, Harry Turner, Argus Kemp, Harry Hobert.

Jacob Shaffer, a convict at the northern prison, died Saturday forenoon. Shaffer was serving a term of five years for burglary. He was received at the prison in June, 1893. He was set at work on the shoe contract, and after working sometime he was taken ill. When he recovered, lighter work was assigned him on the woolen contract. About six weeks ago he was again taken ill, and became violently insane. He refused to touch any food, and as a consequence he gradually wasted away. His mother resides at Warsaw, and was notified of his death. Word was received yesterday by the prison authorities to hold the body, and that someone would arrive to convey the remains to Warsaw, where they will be interred.

Mrs. A. Thompson and Mrs. M. G. Walker chaperoned a jolly sleighing party to the pleasant country home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wagner on Friday evening. Those who participated in the pleasures were Misses Gertrude Thompson, Ote Johnson, Elva Craig, Blanche Rennison, Bertha Cour, Ida Wagner, Laura Marff, Katie Kemp, and Messrs. Charley Osborne, Harry Turner, Fred Duryee, Boland Walker, Argus Kemp, Will Thompson, Bert Keplinger, Oliver Hebert, Harry Alderman, Dayton Janess, Edward Wagner, Alright Wilson. Music and games were enjoyed until a late hour. After a 12 o'clock supper the young people returned to the city, pronouncing Mr. and Mrs. Wagner royal entertainers, E Coleman just the right driver and promising to come again.

The gallery at the Wayne street M. E. church has been rarely if ever used for the regular Sunday preaching services, but it was brought into requisition last evening in order to seat the immense audience that turned out to hear Rev. Dr. Henry W. Bennett preach the third of the series of special lectures which he is delivering on Sunday evenings. His lecture last night was to young men, and it was a gem of the oratorical art. Full of good advice to the young, rich in thought, methodical in its arrangement, embellished with beautiful language, eloquent in its utterance, interesting in all its parts, scholarly and yet characterized with simplicity, logical, humorous, instructive and forcible, it was entertaining and held his auditors charmed listeners throughout It was a lecture that was an inspiration to the youth and will be productive of good results. Dr. Bennett will deliver its companion, a lecture to young women, next Sunday evening.

J. F. Schell was in Columbia City over Sunday.

The Seven club met with Mrs. C. B. Woodworth on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. I. White and Miss Jeanette Smith left yesterday for Chicago.

Miss Katherine McDougall went to Chicago today to hear the Paderewski recitals.

Nine persons were added to the roll of the Covenant Bible school yesterday afternoon.

The Epworth league of the Wayne street M. E. church hold a business meeting tonight.

Miss Zattie Hirsh, of New York city, will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. Mergentheim, this week.

On next Saturday, Mrs. A. A. Furman will entertain the English club in a social way after the regular work is done.

The Morning Musical will give a complimentary recital to the members of the Fort Wayne club in the near future.

Mrs. F. D. Cassanave and daughter left Sunday for Chicago, where they will make a short visit before returning to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis, of Decatur, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis, on East Wayne street, parents of Mr. Davis.

Miss Frank Felter, of Huntington, will attend the meeting of the Wednesday club at the home of Mrs. Charles Reed, in Lakeside, next Wednesday.

The Modern Woodmen will install their newly elected officers at the meeting tonight in the A. O U. W. hall, on Court street. The lodge meets every Monday evening.

The only case in police court this morning was that of a Calhoun street saloonkeeper, who was fined $19.50 for selling liquor on Sunday. The officers, disguised as farmers, went to his saloon and secured evidence enough to convict him.

Mrs. Darwin S. Root will sing in the "Creation" at Van Wert, on Wednesday of this week. Charles Clark, of Chicago, is to be the baritone. Mr. Root is to take the part of "Frederick" in the "Pirates of Penzance," in Columbia City, on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Over 700 tickets have been sold for the Westminster concerts and when 1,000 tickets have been subscribed for the dates of the concerts will be announced. Tickets subscribed for may be had at half price or twenty-five cents for both concerts if 1,000 are sold, otherwise the admission will be twenty-five cents at the door for each.

The second meeting of the east end Baptist mission Sunday school yesterday afternoon was attended by 121 persons and the interest in the work was even more marked than on the preceding Sunday. The room will accommodate 175 pupils and those who have charge of affairs will not relax their efforts until they get that number of regular attendants.

Never were visitors more handsomely treated than were the twenty-six Fort Wayne citizens who went down to Decatur last Saturday to institute a lodge of Pocahontas. The party left at 1:15 o'clock, was met at the depot in Decatur and escorted down to a large hall, where the Red Men and their wives of Decatur had assembled to greet them. After introductions and some preliminary work, the work of instituting the new lodge was taken up and carried on until 6 o'clock, when a recess for supper was taken. The visitors were then taken to the Burt house, where a magnificent spread awaited them. After supper the lodge work was resumed and completed by 11 o'clock, and soon after the Fort Wayne delegation left for home. The new lodge is named "Mafelico," and it starts out with fifty members.

Mr. A. Geismar.

Editor SENTINEL:

Will you kindly call the attention of all parents and teachers in particular to an article in the January Arena—"Spirituality in American Education," by Lilian Whiting. It is full of sound wisdom. A. GEISMAR.

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The stockholders of the Tri-State Building and Loan association No. 3, will have their annual meeting Monday evening, Jan. 13th, at 7 o'clock, in the rooms of the association, for the purpose of electing a board of nineteen directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may regularly come before the meeting.

G. W. PIXLEY, President.
C. A. WILDING, Secretary.

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Private classes may be formed and may have an evening to themselves, as we have full control of the hall.

Private Lessons at any time.

FARNAN DANCING ACADEMY.

Louis Altevoght, of South Calhoun street, is very sick.

Miss Tot Davis, daughter of John Davis, who has been very sick, is recovering.

Policeman Hardendorf has recovered from his attack of grippe and has returned to his beat.

Mrs. F. K. Neise, who has been visiting relatives in this city for some time, returned to her home in Lima, O., today.

REV. JOSEPH COOK.

Authoritative Statement Regarding His Condition.

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—An authorized statement regarding Joseph Cook's condition is published by the Congregationalist. It says: "On August 31 Mr. Cook lectured at Melbourne. The next day (which was Sunday) during his preparation for the service, he was seized with vertigo and almost total loss of sight By the end of September he was sufficiently restored to justify the physicians in allowing him to embark from Sydney to Japan, where he was to meet his wife. When he reached Japan on November 21 he was weak in body and depressed in spirits. During the trip across the Pacific he slept only under the influence of opiates. He was the victim of melancholia and worried almost incessantly over his condition. At San Francisco the physicians felt it safe for him to travel east. He was taken to Clifton Springs and there is reason to anticipate a favorable termination of his maladies."

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Buffalo, Pa.
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Kentucky State Gazetteer.
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Ladies Free Tonight.

The attraction at the Empire this week is Colby's All-American Novelty Co., a very high class vaudeville combination.

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Dress Goods Sold at Cost.

36-inch Novelty Dress Goods at 8c, worth 15c.
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36-inch All Wool Serge at 23c, worth 35c.
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45-inch All Wool French Serge at 45c, worth 60c.
46-inch All Wool Henriets at 48c, worth 75c.
All 50c Novelty Dress Goods reduced to 35c.
54-inch Ladies' Cloth at 39c, reduced from 50c.
All 50c Plaids reduced to 39c.
ALL BLACK DRESS GOODS sold at actual cost.

Underwear & Hosiery sold at cost.

Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests at 12½c, worth 17c.
Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests at 21c, worth 30c.
All Ladies' 50c Underwear reduced to 37½c.
Ladies' 85c Underwear reduced to 62½c.
Ladies' $1.00 Underwear reduced to 75c.
Gents' Grey Mixed Underwear at 20c.
Gents' Camel Hair Underwear at 29c, reduced from 39c.
Gents' 85c Underwear reduced to 62½c.
Gents' $1.00 Underwear reduced to 79c.
All Children's Underwear sold AT ACTUAL COST.

Muslins and Sheetings sold at cost.

Yard wide Unbleached Muslin, extra heavy, at 4½c.
All 6c Unbleached Muslin reduced to 5c.
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 12½c, worth 17c.
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 17c, worth 20c.
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 19c, worth 25c.
9-4 Bleached Sheeting at 15c, worth 18c.
9 4 Bleached Sheeting at 20c, worth 25c.

All Housekeeping Goods sold at cost.

8c Ticking reduced to 6½c.
10 Ticking reduced to 8c.
18c Feather Ticking reduced to 12½c.
Red Table Damask at 23c, reduced from 30c.
Red Table Damask at 25c, reduced from 35c.
Unbleached Table Linen at 22c, reduced from 28c.
Unbleached Table Linen at 25c, worth 30c.
Unbleached Table Linen at 29c, worth 35c.
All 50c Table Linens reduced to 39c.

All Towels and Napkins sold at Actual Cost.

1 case Grey Blankets, large size, at 48c, worth 75c.
1 case Bed Spreads at 98c, worth $1.25.
1 case Grey Blankets at 85c, worth $1.25.

All Ladies' and Children's Woolen Mittens sold at actual cost.

Grey Mixed Shaker Flannel at 6½c, reduced from 8c.
Dark Outing at 4½c.
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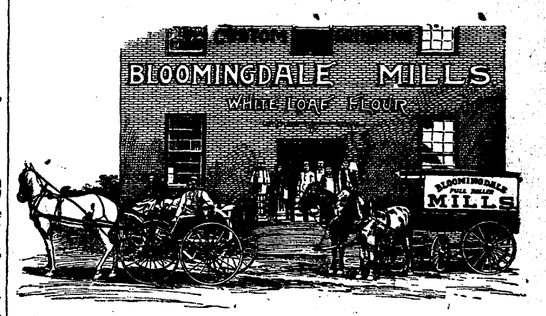

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OHIO'S GOVERNOR.

McKinley Steps Out and Bushnell Steps in.

The Inauguration Ceremonies are Largely Attended—McKinley's Introduction of His Sneccessor.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 13.—Governor McKinley and staff, excepting two absent members, General Botsford, of Youngstown, and Colonel Taylor, of East Liverpool, were photographed by Baker at 8:30 a. m. At 9 a. m. the governor welcomed the International Brick Layers' union in open session, to which all members of labor organizations had been invited to be present This was simply a neat, formal welcome and was the last but one of the governor's official acts preceeding his surrender of office to Governor Bushnell. The bricklayers received McKinley with hearty applause. The attendance is very large and the city extensively decorated.

The inauguration ceremonies inducting Asia S. Bushnell into the office of governor began at 11 a. m., when Governor McKinley and staff and the joint legislative and citizens' committee met him at the Chittenden hotel and, escorted by troop A, of Cleveland; the Champion City guards, and the Fourteenth regiment, O. N. G., proceeded to the state house, where Governor McKinley, addressing the multitude in the rotunda, referred in appropriate terms to the occasion, presented his successor with a commission as governor and introduced him as Governor Bushnell. Governor McKinley said:

"It is a tribute to our institutions and an assurance of their strength and permanence that those who stood opposed to each other at the last election, now cheerfully acquiescing in the popular will, have gathered here to participate in the inauguration of Governor Bushnell, and to wish him God speed and the realization of useful honorable and distinguished administration. No governor ever entered upon his duties with more kindly sentiments of regard and more certain evidences of public confidence, coming from every quarter of the state and from all classes of our people, than he who takes the oath of office today. No governor but one ever came to the office with a larger plurality and but one with a larger popular vote than he. It will be a source of comfort and a tower of strength to him to realize always that he has behind him the people whose only aim is the public good and whose support can be counted upon in every effort to promote the welfare of the state. I congratulate him that he enjoys this confidence and am sure the people will follow him with their blessings and prayers.

'My last official act is done when I present to you Governor Bushnell in behalf of the people and by their command, your commission as governor. No act in my four years incumbency have given me more genuine pleasure than this. I know it will not be out of place to say—for it is in my heart to say it—that you have my warm and sincere personal good wishes, both in your public and private life. May a kind providence guide and preserve you, not only during the years of your official term, but in all the years of the future, and may your administration be of great advantage to the people, a credit and honor to yourself and one illustrious in the annals of the state."

BULLETS ANSWER A JOKE.

Motorman Slain for Putting His Cold Hands Down a Friend's Back.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Jan. 13.—Albert Johnson, aged twenty-five, a street railroad motorman, upon returning to his boarding house yesterday morning put his cold hands down the back of G S H. Holmes, aged twenty-seven, a fellow boarder. A fight followed and Holmes went to his room, secured a revolver, and, returning, fired five times at Johnson, hitting him three times and killing him instantly. He then gave himself up to the police. Holmes is a civil engineer and came here recently to accept a position in a large machine shop. His father is a former postmaster of Grand Ledge and a prominent citizen there. He is a graduate of the state university and of the state agricultural college.

READY TO FIGHT ENGLAND.

Indiana Belgians Disappointed Because War is Not Declared.

ECKERTY, Ind., Jan. 13.—This place was in a bustle of excitement Saturday upon the arrival of between eighty and 100 Belgians from the interior of Perry county for the purpose of enlisting in the volunteer service of the United States. They had been told that war had been declared against England, and that a recruiting office had been established here. They are all farmers, and few of them could speak English. They seemed disappointed at the signs of peace they found here, and said they would rather fight until next seed time than otherwise.

Death of a Judge's Widow.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Pierrepont Isham, eighty seven years old, widow of the late Judge Pierrepont Isham, of the supreme court of Vermont, died last evening at the home of her son-in law, Major Sartell Prentice. Mrs Isham had been ill but a short time. The remains will be conveyed to Manchester Vt., for interment

Canada's Trouble.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Times publishes today a column article discussing the recent ministerial trouble in Canada, whose "remarkable and significant political crisis has escaped attention, owing to the Transvaal difficulties." Continuing, the Times says it believes that if the Hon. MacKenzie Bowen, the Canadian premier, succeeds in forming a cabinet, he will only hold office for a few weeks and will then resign in favor of Sir Charles Tupper, Sr., the Canadian high commissioner to Great Britian.

AN INSANE FATHER

Causes the Death of His Family of Seven.

Waited Until All Were Asleep, Then He Stealthily Turnes on the Gas and Lies Down to Die.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Peter Houggard, who is thought by the police to have been insane, killed himself, wife and five children last night. The discovery was made by the police today. Upon breaking open the door of Houggard's residence they found the whole family asphyxiated. Houggard had evidently waited till all were asleep, and then turning on the gas jets, had calmly laid down and awaited his own death.

Houggard was a Dane, living at 731 Sixty-first street. He wrote a letter to a friend yesterday telling him what he was going to do, saying he was despondent and spoke of some diamonds which the police would find by his side when they entered the house. The letter, which was written in Danish, was received by Huggard's friend today and he immediately informed the police of its contents. Captain Gibbons, of the Englewood station, with two officers, went to the Houggard residence.

The doors were all locked and there was no response to the repeated ringing of the doorbell. Finally the police put their shoulders to the door and forced it from its hinges. They were almost overcome by the fumes of illuminating gas which met them, and it was some moments before the air from the open door cleared the interior atmosphere sufficiently to permit them to enter. Then the police made a hasty survey of the first story, but found nothing and rushed upstairs where they discovered the seven corpses.

The jet of every gas fixture in the house had been opened and death had evidently crept upon all the family, but the husband and father, while they slept.

THE DEAD.

Peter Houggard, husband and father, forty years old.
Mrs. Houggard, thirty-eight years old.
Hans, fourteen years old.
Jennie, ten years old.
Olga, eight years old.
Maude, six years old.
Tella, two years of age.

THE BEST PLAN YET.

Congressman Morse Proposes a Deal With Turkey.

He Would Invoke the Co-operation of the Allied Powers to Wipe Out the Turkish Government.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Today being the second Monday of the month was under the rules, set aside for the consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia. Although the consideration of the house rules has not been completed, it was decided to give today to the District of Columbia. Before Chairman Babcock claimed the day Mr. Morse, republican, of Massachusetts, presented the following resolution for reference to the committee on foreign affairs:

"WHEREAS, The most mournful tragedy of the nineteenth century has been and is now being enacted, under the apparent sanction of the sultan of Turkey, by which hundreds of thousands of Armenians are being ruthlessly slaughtered in cold blood, women are being driven into a captivity worse than death and inhabitants who have fled to the mountains are dying of cold and starvation, and

"WHEREAS, the blood of these martyred dead cry to Heaven for justice,

"Resolved, That the committee on foreign affairs consider the expediency of reporting forthwith some expression by this government in denunciation of these atrocities, and if they find as a nation that they are powerless to act, that we invoke the co-operation of the allied powers to wipe the Turkish government off the face of the earth and secure the freedom and independence of Armenia."

The resolution was referred and the house then entered upon the consideration of district business.

CHANGE OF FIRM.

Nathan & Kirchheimer Succeed A. Hirsch & Co., Paper Dealers.

There has been a change in the firm of Hirsch & Co., wholesale paper dealers, on East Columbia street. Mr. A. Hirsch retired from the firm and was succeeded by Julius Nathan.

The firm is now composed of Messrs. Julius Nathan, Charles Nathan and Joseph Kirchheimer. The change became effective on January 10. Nathan & Kirchheimer is the name of the new house.

Frank Kochs, of St. Joe boulevard, who has been very low for three weeks with dropsy and heart trouble, is reported out of danger and on the road to recovery.

Night Police Clerk William Hoham, who has been off duty on account of sickness for some time, will return to work tonight.

THE QUEEN LIVES!

A Corean Romance a la Rider Haggard.

Fled Through a Secret Passage and Escaped the Massacre—A Well Guarded Secret.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 13.—A romance equaling anything which Rider Haggard ever wrote comes from Seoul, the capital of Corea, relating to the conspiracy which broke out there last November. The facts are known only to a few persons, one being the king, and all have the strongest motives for concealment.

It will be remembered that on November 28 an unsuccessful plot culminated in an attack on the palace by a number of Coreans belonging to the queen's party. M. Waeber, the Russian charge d' affairs; Drs. Allen and Underwood and other Americans were accused, apparently on strong grounds, of being privy to the plot. They were, in fact, said to have been on the spot simultaneously with the abortive attempt. They, however, denied all complicity. The king and the Japanese, being warned beforehand, posted extra guards and foiled the conspiracy. Your correspondent's information now shows that M. Waeber and the English consul shared the secret, the object being to seize the ministers, expel the Japanese, free the king from the latter's influence, and restore the queen who was reported dead, but who was in reality alive.

The Russian secretary of legation was the leading spirit in the conspiracy and was deputed to convey the queen from her place of hiding to the palace. The failure of the attempt necessitated the keeping of the secret of the queen being in existence, which is now for the first time divulged.

When, in October, the Corean and Japanese broke into the palace the queen, scenting danger, hid hastily, without speaking to her women, in an obscure out house, saw the bodies of her ladies-in-waiting dragged to the pyre prepared for them outside, and watched the completion of the tragedy from her hiding place. The queen was concealed for an hour and a half, every moment expecting discovery. She fled at last through a secret passage to the old palace and then, after changing her dress, made her escape outside the walls of the city, where she reached a place of safety.

When the Japanese and Coreans examined the charred bodies of the women who had been burned, the king and some others shrewdly feigned that they had discovered the identity of the queen in one of the victims, lest a search should reveal her whereabouts and lead to her murder. The Japanese accepted the account of the queen's death as true. M. Waeber and Hidler, the latter being the German consul, must have been privy to the secret which was, however, well kept.

Three Coreans were strangled last week as the queen's murderers, while the trial of Viscount Mura and other Japanese officials is proceeding at Hershimo for the murder of a woman who still lives.

Li Han Shin, the leader of the last abortive plot, is in hiding here. An American friend, who came here on the Russian cruiser Oiljaney says that Russia is using the supposed murder of the queen as a wrong against the Japanese, although knowing its falsity.

SENSATIONAL SHOOTING

Occurred in a Dry Goods House at Indianapolis.

Miss Gordon, a Young Lady Clerk, Fired Two Shoots at the Floor Walker, Harry Purviance.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 13.—A sensational shooting occurred in the large dry goods house of L. S. Ayres & Co., in Washington street, this morning. Miss Ruth Gordon, a clerk, fired two shots at Harry Purviance, a floor walker. One shot made an abrasion in Purviance's side. The second shot failed to take effect and Purviance grabbed and overpowered his assailant, before she could fire again. Miss Gordon charges Purviance with ungentlemanly conduct toward her. Purviance is married. The shooting caused a panic among the army of clerks. Miss Gordon was reported at police headquarters.

IN A WHIRLPOOL.

A Score of Lives Were Lost in Mexico.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 13.—Prof. E. S. Coffeey, of this city, has received a letter from Lake Chapala, state of Jalisco, Mexico, which says that a few days ago residents of one of the small settlements near the western end of Lake Chapala were terrified to see a gigantic whirlpool raging far out in the water. The water rose in great serpentine movements, and from all directions rushed towards a common center, where a vast cavity seemed to exist. At the same time a heavy rumbling was heard apparently in the bowels of the earth. The whirlpool was caused by the sudden sinking of a large portion of the lakes bottom. The disturbance continued for twenty minutes and before it subdued it is said that several pleasure boats were drawn into the whirlpool and disappeared with their occupants. It is estimated that a score of lives were lost.

Will Go in Business.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.—Theodore Breitenstein, the speedy left handed pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, who, it is stated, will leave that team next season, will join the southern Illinois league and play with the club representing the city of Chester. He is not going to depend upon his ball playing for a livlihood, however, but backed by moneyed men in Chester, will go in business there. This is the story given out by his friends. Breitenstein's friends say his decision in the matter is final.

CRISIS NOT OVER.

Affairs in the Transvaal in a Chaotic Condition.

Warrants Have Been Issued for About 300 Persons, Among Them Several Americans.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The political crisis has reached a stage where "further developments" must be awaited before the general public can form a definite idea of how the wind is blowing.

Among the South African politicians it is felt that the crisis is by no means over and it is held by them that the bandishments and interdiction placed upon the property of the chief men of Johannesburg cannot be tolerated This feeling grows out of the Johannesburg dispatch reporting that warrants are out for the arrest of over 300 persons, all leading men in the mines and principal companies of the stock exchange and of the professional element It was added that among those arrested were several Americans and Germans, including J. S. Curtis, an American engineer. It is generally admitted, also, that the new cabinet of Cape Colony is weak and it is not thought likely that it will last for any length of time.

Considerable feeling has also been caused among the South Africans here by the dispatches from Cape Town announcing the arrest at Seaport, a suburb of Cape Town, of Charles Leonard, chairman of the Transvaal National Union, and under extradition proceedings. This is especially criticised severely and the Globe asks why the Cape government is doing President Kruger's work for him and refusing to perform a similar duty for others.

A despatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Cape Town, published today, says that the latest advices received there from Pretoria state that bail has been refused the ringleaders of the recent disturbances at Johannesburg, and that the other people arrested in the same connection have been liberated, each in $5,000 bail. The despatch adds that it is expected that severe measures will be taken against the leaders of the uprising, in spite of the fact that it is now apparent that they were deceived and taken by surprise by Dr. Jameson's incursion.

Sir Hercules Robinson, the governor of Cape Colony, it appears, has made every effort to secure leniency for the prisoners; but, the extreme section of the Boers are much incensed and very difficult to control. The new ministry of Cape Colony is regarded as adverse to shield the ex-premier, Mr. Cecil Rhodes, and Sir Hercules Robinson. Mr. Rhodes, it is also said, is in very bad health.

Advices from Johannesburg say that the Uitlanders are expecting the Boers to make a house to house search for arms and it is stated that the Germans of that place have been holding meetings and passing resolutions telling Emperor William to mind his own business.

Dr. Jameson and his lieutenants, so far as is known, are still at Pretoria, and President Kruger reached a point which will permit of his being sent to Natal under escort, to be delivered over to the British authorities for trial. The Times says that the the officials of the British South Africa company deny that Dr. Jameson was deposed from the position of administrator of their territory on the recommendation of the company.

SEEKING AID FOR AMERICANS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 — Senators Perkins and White, of California, called at the state department today to urge Secretary Olney to take such steps as may be necessary to secure proper treatment for John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer, who is reported to have been arrested by the Boer officials at Johannesburg on a charge of treason in connection with the recent rising of the Uitlanders in the Transvaal. Secretary Olney informed his callers that he had cabled Mr. Manyon, the United States consular agent at Johannesburg, to do everything proper for the protection of all American citizens in the Transvaal, this course being because the nearest American consul was at Cape Town and too far removed from the scene to be of service.

Ambassador Bayard was cabled by Secretary Olney to secure from the foreign office in London a direction to the British representatives in South Africa, to use their good offices to protect American citizens. The secretary assured the California senators that American citizens in the Transvaal cannot be tried for treason, so that Hammond's life is not in danger. The most that can be done, it is said, is to fine or imprison him, and probably this will be avoided. Senators White and Perkins express entire satisfaction with what has been done in Hammond's behalf by the state department.

The county commissioners will grant the franchise to the Consolidated Street Railroad company to build an electric railroad to the Swift farm, but will exact a bond of $25,000 that it will be finished according to specifications.

C. H. Walton, superintendent of the Panhandle railroad at Logansport, spent Sunday in this city.

FOUGHT TO THE LAST.

Negro Desperado Resists Arrest in Florida.

Returns the Fire of the Officers and is Cremated in the House He Barricaded.

NEWMANSVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—Pursued by a posse, Harry Jordan, a negro desperado, wanted for murder cusly assaulting Dr. J. N. Cloud, took refuge in an unoccupied house near Alachua yesterday afternoon. The negro barricaded the doors and swore he would kill the first man who attempted to enter. The posse poured in volley after volley, riddling the house with bullets, but not injuring Jordan, who returned the fire with his Winchester. Finally the posseo resolved to set fire to the house, thinking the flames would drive the negro out, when he would be easily captured.

The torch was applied in several places and soon the house was enveloped in flames. The negro, however, made no effort to escape. He stationed himself in the center of the burning building and fired his Winchester in a vain effort to kill some of his pursuers.

The desperadoe's rifle continued to crack until the roof fell in and he was buried by blazing debris. Jordan was known as a bad negro, having killed, it is said, three men. He frequently boasted that no white man would ever capture him alive.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

Harrison's Man Will Be Chairman of the State Committee.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 13.—Reports from the republican primaries held throughout the state Saturday leave no doubt that the Nebeker machine has triumphed most signally over the Gowdy faction and ex-President Harrison's man will be the chairman of the state central committee and manage the coming campaign in this state.

It is also a victory of the friends of W. R. McKeen over Charles W. Fairbanks, as Nebeker is the candidate of the former and is pledged to his interests in the fight for the republican nomination for the United States senate. This phase of the situation had much to do with the result in southwestern Indiana, where the McKeen men threw their strength unreservedly to the Nebeker slates and secured the delegations in almost every case.

Gowdy's friends concede that he can not be elected and the Nebeker men declare that their favorite will have nine and possibly ten members of the state central committee. It develops that Gowdy, though in the fight for the past two months, had comparatively no organization in many counties, while Nebeker men were organized everywhere and had a full representation in all the conventions.

Nebeker was United States treasurer under President Harrison and his friends have been urging his selection as chairman on the ground that he was acceptable to Harrison, while Gowdy was not.

DELINQUENTS MUST SETTLE.

Anderson, Ind., Doctors Post a List of Debtors and Refuse to Attend Them.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 12.—The doctors of this county who formed a union three weeks ago for the purpose of not treating any person who was delinquent on any doctor's account until he had first settled his indebtedness, have completed their list of debtors and are having them published. After being audited it was found that there were 1,400 of them. The same name occurs many times on different lists, but the number only includes the name one time. The association is iron bound and while it does not include every one of the 117 doctors, it includes enough to make it advisable to settle up the bills of the past for the emergencies that may arise in the future. These lists are printed in bold type and hung up in full view in every office.

STILL GUARD AGAINST INDIANS.

Old Couple in This State Possessed of a Singular Notion.

WABASH, Ind., Jan. 13.—Two miles west of Rich Valley, this county, lives an old couple who cook, eat and sleep in one room and who have their team of horses in one end of the squalid apartment. A day or so ago a passerby, Abe Shilling, entered the place and found the pair alone, with their horses tied to the posts of their bed. An ugly looking shotgun stood near the door at half cock. The people greeted Shilling very coldly and he didn't tarry. They are said to be possessed of the hallucination that Indians are running at large over the country and for that reason have collected their belongings all in one room.

KRUGER BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Energetic President of the Transvaal a Native of America.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 13.—President Kruger, of the Transvaal republic, is a native of Pennsylvania. A local paper made the announcement yesterday that he was born in Mauch Chunk. When twelve years old he left there and went to New York, where he sold papers. One day he shipped on a merchant vessel as a cabin boy, but was so ill treated that when the vessel reached Cape Town he deserted and made his way to the Boer settlement. From a farm hand he rose to his present position.

BOUND OVER.

Frank Irwin Must Answer to Circuit Court for Theft.

Frank Irwin, who was arrested for stealing a tub and a lantern from a Broadway grocery last Friday night, was given a preliminary hearing before Mayor Oakley on Saturday afternoon and was bound over to the circuit court in the sum of $100. He gave bond for his appearance.

DOG AND PULLET.

More About George Ewing's Fowl Eating Canines.

A Petty Case in New York Courts That Has Become an Interesting Matter.

The New York World of January 11 contained the following in regard to the law suit of the Havemeyer estate against George Ewing, formerly of this city to recover $40 for some chickens which Mr. Ewing's dogs devoured. The case was mentioned in THE SENTINEL several days ago. The World says:

"Every inhabitant of Babylon, L. I., who owns a chicken is trying to get one of George W. Ewing's Gordon setters to eat it. If the dogs will devour one-third of the birds that are put where they can be caught there will be more money in poultry raised there than ever before.

"Mr. Ewing is a rich man. His kennel is his pride. Gordon setters are his specialty, though he owns other kinds of dogs. The late Commodore Henry Havemeyer didn't care much for dogs, but devoted a good deal of time and thought to pullets. His birds were celebrated on Long Island for their tenderness and for their nourishing qualities.

"The Gordon setters must have heard about the pullets, for one day they attacked a flock of them that were out taking a walk and left nothing in the way of assets but a few bones and some feathers. Mr. Havemeyer was not alive at the time, and his estate was in charge of J. L. Humfreville, the executor. When taking a periodical inventory of the personal property on the estate he counted the pullets and discovered that many of them were missing. He made an investigation.

"He found ample evidence against the Gordon setters. A colored man had seen the battle. The pullets were going lawfully about their business, he swore, when suddenly they were molested, waylaid and otherwise beset by the dogs. As was their legal right, the birds put up the best defense they could, but it was not valid and not a pullet escaped to tell the tale.

"The executor of the estate could not sue the dogs, but he began proceedings against Mr. Ewing as their next friend and owner. He demanded $40 in settlement, claiming more than the pullets were worth on the ground of trespass. Justice Arthur Neville heard the case.

'Counsel for the pullets showed that the dogs were guilty. He drew a tearful picture of the unfortunate fowl suddenly torn from the arms of their parents and ruthlessly masticated. He asked for punitive damages so that an example might be made of the guilty.

"Lawyer Eugene Fishel, who appeared for the dogs, made a plea in which law and sentiment were blended, 50 per cent. of each.

"'If the dogs had a previous bad character and their owners knew it,' he said, 'he might be liable, but if they went around eating pullets he was not a party to it and was not aware of it. He is not liable for their first offense.'

'Then changing from the emotional to the matter of fact, as only a clever lawyer can, he said: 'These pullets weren't worth more than fourteen cents a pound anyway. There wasn't more than $20 worth of them.'

"Justice Neville has given judgment for the full amount claimed. Mr. Fishel says that the judgment will be contested in every court in the land till justice is done."

STORY OF A WHEEL.

A Crack Rider Pawned Another Man's Bicycle.

He Mailed the Owner the Ticket and the Wheel Was Redeemed This Morning.

A bicycle story just came to a termination today in this city that is of interest. Last summer a bicycle rider named Robert L. Trainor started to ride on a wheel all the way from New York city to San Francisco, for the purpose of advertising the Horstman wheel, which is manufactured by E. L. Horstman, in New York.

Trainor rode as far as Fort Wayne and evidently concluded to give up his job. So he took the wheel to the pawn shop of Horace Mariotte and pawned it for a small amount of money. With this Trainor bought a railroad ticket to Chicago and when he arrived in the Windy City he mailed the pawn check to Mr. Horstman, the owner of the wheel.

This morning James M. Kane, of this city, who is a personal friend of Mr. Horstman, received the pawn ticket from the latter gentleman by mail, together with sufficient money to redeem the bicycle. Mr. Kane repaid Mr. Mariotte the money Trainor had borrowed and took the wheel. He will send it to its New York owner.

A RARE CHANCE.

Commencing January 14, for ten days only we will sell all $10, $35, $30 suits, or any suit in the store, for $22.50.

CHAS. J. ROMEL,
121 Calhoun St.,
13tf Lau Building.

Fox's celebrated XXXX Crackers and hot coffee (Bursley's Blend) served free every day during the great sale at THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

DON'T WANT THEM.

Fort Wayne Banks Will Buy no Government Bonds

Of the New Popular Loan Issue—The Premium Too High and the Interest Too Low.

So far as THE SENTINEL can learn none of the banks of this city will take any part of the new loan of $100,000,000 which is now being offered by the government. The loan is to be in the nature of a "popular loan," judging from what the government officials have been saying, and the idea is to have the people generally subscribe for the bonds instead of selling them all in one to a syndicate.

From various places there have come statements to the effect that numerous banks over the country have signified their intention of taking some of the bonds, but the banks of Fort Wayne do not intend to subscribe to the loan.

Mr. J. D. Bond, of the Old National bank, said to THE SENTINEL when asked about the matter: "I do not know of anyone in the city who will take any of the bonds. So far as this bank is concerned we shall not go into it. I think the whole scheme is a mistake. I doubt if the government will be able to place the full amount of the issue in the country as a popular loan, and if this is true and the syndicate goes to pieces the government will be in a hole. I do not believe any of the bonds will be sold in this city."

Mr. Charles McCulloch, president of the Hamilton National bank said: "I have not heard of any Fort Wayne banks who will buy bonds. We shall not do so. Our circulation is full and we have no money with which to buy them as an investment, because the premium is too high. It would be virtually making a 1 per cent loan at 3 per cent."

Cashier Lem R. Hartman, of the First National bank, replied thus to the inquiries: "We have had a few calls for the bonds from individuals, but they will not buy any. I think They all want to get the bonds at par and, of course, that is out of the question. Several parties have told us that if we could get them some of the bonds at par they would take them, but when a man says that he is simply talking funny. There will be very few, if any, of them sold in this city, because they are not a good investment for Fort Wayne people. In the smaller towns, where there are no manufacturing concerns to whom the banks can loan their money, the bonds will be readily taken, because it is about the only means they have of investing their money where it can be turned back into cash at any time. But in Fort Wayne the banks can loan their money at a better rate of interest to the manufacturers and business men. And then, this is a great city of homes. When a man gets a thousand dollars here he goes and buys a lot and puts up a house. He does not buy bonds. In the big cities it is different. A man with a thousand or two dollars cannot buy property with such a small sum and he is usually ready to invest in bonds. That is where most of the money comes from with which to buy government bonds. For that reason I do not believe any of the new loan will be taken here."

President John I. White, of the White National bank, said: "Our bank has talked some of bidding on some of the bonds, but we have not made up our mind to do so. I do not know of any one in the city who will bid on them."

WONDERFUL INCREASE.

Westminster Church Receives Forty-four New Members.

That Number United With the Church Sunday—Over One Hundred Additions in the Church Year.

Forty-four persons were received into the membership of Westminster church yesterday, twenty of whom were on certificates from other churches and twenty-four on confession of faith. With the exception of four these additions were all adults and but few had any former connection with the church. Ninety-eight have been received since February 1, 1895, and as some others are soon to be received there will be a total of 100 or more by the expiration of the year ending February 1, 1896.

THE DEATHS.

Joseph Bequard Succumbs to Cancer—Mrs. George Eisinger Dead.

Joseph Bequard, aged seventy-four years, died yesterday morning at the St. Joseph hospital from cancer. He leaves six children, one son being a priest at Auburn, Ind. The funeral will take place at the hospital at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

MRS. EISINGER.

Ella Eisinger, the wife of George Eisinger, died Sunday morning at the family residence, No. 53 Gay street. She was a sufferer from obstruction of the bowels and a few days ago an operation was performed, but she could not survive the ordeal. She leaves a husband and two small children. The funeral was held at the English Lutheran church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Bursley's Blend Coffee is a fine mixture of Java and Mocha. It is served free at the People's Store. 10 13 14

Venezuelan Commission.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Venezuelan commission did not hold a morning session today as was contemplated President Gilman was at the residence of Justice Brewer at 10:30 o'clock and the other commissioners had arranged to respond in case of a meeting, but as Justice Brewer had some court work the session was put off until later in the day.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—It was learned this afternoon that the cabinet council of Saturday last considered the question of re establishing diplomatic relations with Venezuela, but no definite conclusion was arrived at.

THE COURTS.

Officer Foulks' Case is Sent to Justice Taney.

The Roller Will Case on Trial—Two More Divorce Suits Brought—Court News.

Gus Jackson, who keeps the saloon at the corner of Calhoun and Wayne streets filed an affidavit in Justice Bohen's court against Policeman Albert Foulks for a felonious assault. Justice Bohen sent the case to Justice Taney and put Foulks' bond at $100 which was given, for his appearance. The officer visited the place of Jackson, in the round of his duties, when the difficulty occurred between the two, Jackson claims Foulks assaulted him. The parties give different versions of the affair and court will endeavor to decide which one is right and which one is wrong.

The Roller will case, which THE SENTINEL noticed at some length last week, was begun before a jury in the circuit court this morning and will occupy the rest of the week. Henry Colerick made the opening statement to the jury this afternoon. The case involves $12,000 and the plaintiffs are the daughters of the deceased who were ignored in the will.

Constable Roemble went out into Lake township this morning to arrest August Duff and Frank Sterling for the illegal sale of liquor. Five affidavits were filed against each of them in Justice France's court.

Constable Johnson went to Hoagland to arrest Joseph Mowrer for bastardy. The affidavit was filed before Justice France by Amanda Wyatt.

Clara Varian has filed proceedings for divorce from Reuben Varian. She asks $1,500 alimony. E. V. Emrick is her attorney.

Maud Harmeyer has filed proceedings for a divorce from John Harmeyer and the custody of her child. P. B. Colerick is attorney for the plaintiff.

Balzar Federspiel, jr., sues Fred Riebke et. al., to foreclose a mortgage for $1,500. R. B. Droibelbiss is attorney for the plaintiff.

August Korn and Amelia Brunner, John B. Prauger and Alice R. Lauman, Allen C. Gorrell and Jennie E. Haybrook, Albert Howard and Matilda Keller, William E. McLaughlin and Elizabeth Quinn, Henry Meier and Minnie Kamper, Peter Hinen and Frances Beher have been licensed to wed.

Justice Bohen imposed a fine of $10 and costs on Gottrich Walds, charged with wife desertion.

Justice Hayes acquitted Rus George, charged with maintaining a house of ill fame on East Main street, and continued the case of Edward Keever, charged with the same offense.

The board of commissioners have accepted the new Orphans' home and already the society is in possession of the building.

The county commissioners will go to Chicago Thursday to look at building stone to be used in the erection of our new court house. Their design is to use the very best material.

In Justice France's court, Leonard McCrory and Benjamin Moore, of Leo, charged with stealing a set of harness from Harris & Krider, were sent to jail in default of $100 bond to insure their appearance when wanted. An old man named Payne, residing on Pearl street, was fined $1 and costs on a charge of provoke, preferred by Bella Nimps, in the same court.

A MISSING GIRL.

An Officer Searching for Miss Ella Hamlin.

Who Disappeared From Marion Last Week—Thought She Came to This City.

Policeman Henry G. Ives, of Marion, Ind., has been in the city for several days looking for a girl named Ella Hamlin, who disappeared from her home in that city one day last week. The girl comes from a good family and the cause of her disappearance is somewhat mysterious. Her mother thought she had come to this city, inasmuch as she had been heard to say that she wanted to come here. The mother was alarmed over her absence and feared that something bad would happen to her therefore she sent the officer to this city to find her if possible. Officer Ives, in company with members of the police force of this city, has made a search of the city and watched all the resorts and questionable places but have been unable to locate her. Sunday the officers visited all the skating places, thinking that, inasmuch as the girl is a fine skater, she might have taken a notion to indulge in the sport, but she could not be found anywhere. Officer Ives will go home this evening. Miss Hamlin, the missing girl, is said to be exceedingly handsome and is well educated.

Bursley's Blend Coffee is being served free at the People's Store. 10 13 14

Henry Keppel of No. 182 East Washington street, this evening entertained a large party.

ROOT & COMPANY

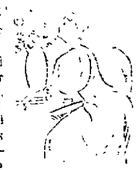
THIS JANUARY COST SELLING

At the Old Popular, Reliable Store

Is passing all records—we knew that it would. No such preparations as has been made here for this event, the past weeks and weeks could result in anything else We put before our patrons goods at prices worth the getting—worth coming many miles to get, and that is just what is going on. The neighboring cities and towns are coming—we see the new faces daily.

One hundred sales people are busy at selling the day long, as they have never been before.

UNDERWEAR selling was never so brisk as it is to day. We sell every piece for Women, Men, Misses and Children at cost and then such a stock to select from—as good today, to morrow as in the beginning of Fall.



Every day lessens the chance for pretty decorating pieces at a very small cost Near the elevator is what is left of the big holiday stock You may see something to put in a place here and there in the home. We let these go less than cost

Union Suits, Tights, Vests, Drawers in Silk, Wool, Cashmere, Merino, Fleeced—

ALL AT COST.

Ladies' Gowns—Men's Night Shirts, Children's Gowns, made of pretty Flannelettes, made in a home-made up manner Also all Ladies' and Misses' Underwear at cost—and there ain't a piece of Simon Stern's Underwear but what is a gem.

ALL AT COST.

Blankets and Underwear—just what you want today. We sell at cost A few more of those elegant California Blankets left, and those grand blankets at $3 88 the pair.

ALL DRESS GOODS AT COST.

This includes Black Goods, Silks, Colored Dress Goods, from part Cotton to the fine all wool and Silk and Wool.

AT HALF PRICE—

Every wrap in the cloak room, except two numbers which we make a stir on. Two lots Ladies' Coats, new sold at $7 and $8. We mark to $2.50 each.

FINE LINEN DAMASKS. We are not surprised that the bulk of the great trade go after those fine Linen Damasks. A great truck load is added to the stock every day. We made ample preparations for every day of this sale

One item just on sale in fine linens, 72 inch, heavy double damask our own import—$1 85 should be the price. sale price $1 29. Napkins to match.

Another table full of those low price Napkins to greet our patrons tomorrow.

50c Cream Linen Damasks, 33c.
75c Cream Linen Damasks, 59c
75c Bleached Linen Damasks, 59c.

All the beautiful Art Linens, Fancy Linen pieces, Single Novelties, will be sold AT COST

WHITE QUILTS

Are selling freely. One good genuine Marseilles spread, at $1 67, the cheapest of its kind ever shown. Finer quilts $1 67 and $1 79. At $2 59 we sell an english Quilt, hemmed, Satin Finish, one dollar less than value.

All Linen hand Crashes, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c.

Children's Elder down Coats down to about one quarter value, 75c to $2 50 each This is a bargain to be taken up quickly.

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Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

H. M. Brothers read a very instructive and entertaining paper on "Tobacco and Its Effects on Man" at the institute of the W. C. T. U., held at Hoagland, in this county.

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On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

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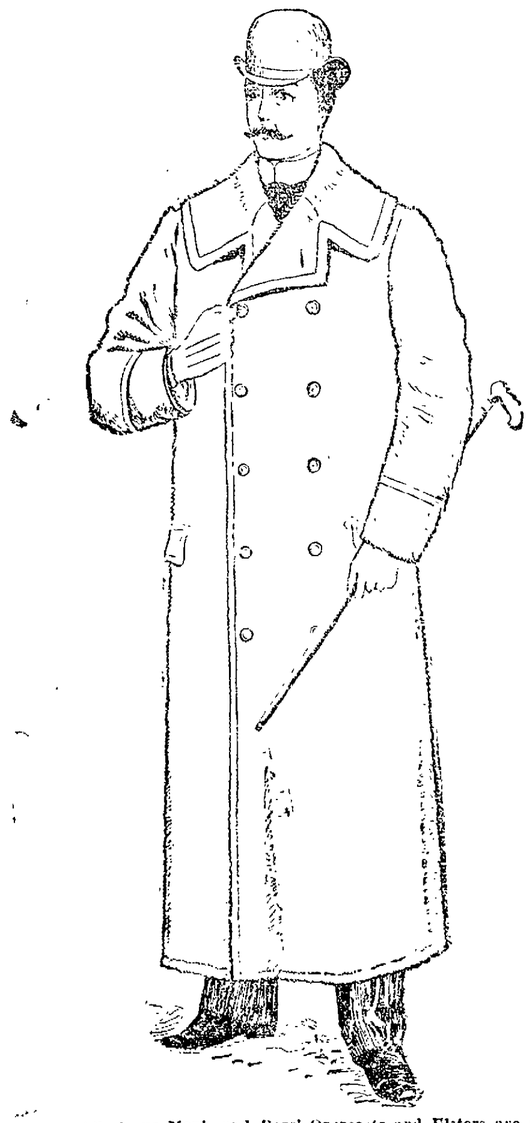
Miss Allie Ballenger, who has been the guest of Miss Alice Woodworth, left today for Bluffton to visit Miss Mame Montgomery.



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The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, JAN. 13 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—For Indiana: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; possibly light rain in extreme southern portions tonight slight changes in temperature tonight; probably slightly warmer in northern portion Tuesday; variable winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Harry Jones left for New York today.

Mrs. L. Webb Bandster is ill with the grip.

Miss Alice Seabreeze will leave for Cincinnati this week.

Miss Bessie VanNess leaves this evening for a visit in Wabash.

Mrs. Emma Balkhe is the guest of her sister, Mrs Charles Hoenig

Mrs Guild gave a thimble party this afternoon in honor of Miss Maier, of Chicago.

Mrs. S. B. Fleming at 6 Mr. A. B Trentman, of Hartford City, are visiting in the City.

W. S Oppenheim of Chicago, will act as best man in the Bond-Brown nuptials on Wednesday.

Miss Kate Safford, who came to attend her brother's wedding, will return to Hartford, Conn., this week.

The Union Bible class will meet on Friday evening in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church Mrs. D. B. Wells will teach the class.

Mat Raub, who was spending the holidays with relatives and friends in this city, left today for the northwest in the interest of a corset company for whom he travels.

Miss Alice Hamil led the devotional meeting of the Epworth league at the Wayne street M. E church last night and delivered an interesting talk on "The Alphabet of Prayer"

George Jacoby, of Murray street, fell on South Lafayette street, near Waltemath's grocery, at the noon hour yesday, and fractured the bones of the left arm, near the wrist. Dr. J. E. Miller reduced the fracture.

Miss Mattie B Graham entertained at her home on Saturday the Happy Six at 5 o'clock tea. The following young ladies were present: Nellie Clark, Lizzie Lapp, Blanche Coombs, Myrtle Haines and Maud Clark.

Mrs. Hannah Hall has gone to Florida to spend several months at the winter home of her son, Willard Hall. Mrs Hall was accompanied by Miss Landrigan, of Topeka, Kas., who has recently been the guest of Mrs T. E. Ellison.

The musical services at the Westminster Presbyterian church last night was a program of vocal and instrumental selections of a high order of merit and interesting. A large audience listened to the sermon preached by Rev. J. L. Leeper.

The subject of the evening sermon of Rev. C. C. Cassell at the Berry street M. E church last night was "The Prayer That Teaches to Pray." It was a most interesting exposition of the subject. Mr. O E Mohler led the devotional services of the Epworth league.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church met Friday. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. G. L Greenawalt. A paper on 'A Backward Glance of the Year's Work" was read by Mrs. E F. Varnelle, and one on 'The Perils of the New West' by Mrs. I. M. VanSyke.

It is being stated that the reason for the low gas pressure in this city during the cold weather is caused by the fact that several towns on the line of the Fort Wayne Gas company's mains from the gas fields to this city are supplied with gas from these pipes and that the drain is so great as to reduce the pressure in this city.

Rev L. L. Henson delivered an interesting discourse at the Baptist Tabernacle yesterday morning on the "Book of Galatians," being the first of a series of expository sermons on this subject. In the evening his theme was "How to Be Saved," after which ordinance of baptism was administered. He had large audiences at both services.

The following out-of-town guests will be in attendance at the Bond-Brown wedding next Wednesday: Mrs Rena B. Maxwell, Bridgeton, N. J.; Mrs M B Talbot, Marion, Ind the Misses Georgiana and Edith Sweetzer, of Marion, Ind., Mrs Anna Robinson and daughter, Miss Susan of Peru, Ind Mr. and Mrs E G Evans, of Toledo Ohio, Hon W S Oppenheim, of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Studebaker, of South Bend.

Meats, Flour, Butter and Eggs.

Best Sugar Cured Hams 10c lb.
Good, Nice Shoulders, 6c lb
Best Roll Butter, 16c lb
Good Bar Butter, 12c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen, 20c.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Try a cup of Bursley's Blend Coffee at the People's Store. It will cost you nothing. 10 13 14

Valencia Oranges—Cheap.

Fresh shipment of 40 boxes arrived today, large, bright Fruit, 20c dozen
Sweet Jamaicas, 20c dozen.
Small Messinas 10c dozen
Choice Malaga Grapes, 15c lb.
FRUIT HOUSE.

A cup of Chocolate will be served free to Ladies, on Tuesday, from 2 to 5 p. m., at Barcus' Restaurant, 96 Calhoun street. All are cordially invited.

California Dried Peaches Down.

A shipment of 100 bags just to hand, direct from Los Angeles the nicest kind of bright yellow fruits formerly sold at [illegible] a clip at 5c per pound

FRUIT HOUSE.

Mrs Robert Learmonth will leave this week for Chicago.

Miss Ida Knoker, of Hull street, has returned from Chicago

Miss Irma Becker, of Albion, Neb., is the guest of Mrs Junius Nathan.

Mrs Elizabeth Joss entertained the Sewing club at cards this afternoon.

Miss Julia Wilson, of 12 Home avenue, is visiting relatives in Valparaiso and Chicago

Dr. A E Bulson is confined to his home on West Wayne street, suffering from an attack of grip

William Murphy of Force street, has returned from Philadelphia, where he has been visiting his grandparents.

I. H. Case, manager for the Kimball Piano Co, accompanied by Mrs. Case, is in Chicago selecting pianos for the spring trade

F. F. Fee and family have moved into the east half of Mr. Hattersley's brick residence, on West Berry street. In the early spring Mr Fee will build on the site of his former home.

At her home on East Lewis street Miss Mattie Graham entertained the Happy Six Saturday afternoon. The young ladies present were. Misses Blanche Coombs Nellie Clark, Maude Clark, Lizzie Lapp and Myrtle Haines

The Rainbow Theatrical club met Thursday evening and was very pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Mayme McBennett from 7 to 10:30. At 9.30 a dainty luncheon was served and after finishing the evening program the meeting adjourned to meet again with the Misses Gertrude and Laura Greene.

Among the coming events of the week will be a full dress theatre party to the "Princess Bonnie" Thursday evening and a supper at the Wayne club, given by Mr. and Mrs. John White. Those who will be entertained are Messrs. and Mesdames Gus Rabus, Frank Fee, Charles Orr, Joe Rossell and Robert Learmouth.

There was a pretty wedding ceremony at the St. Patrick church at 7 o'clock this morning, the nuptial party being Miss Elizabeth Quinn and Mr. W. E McLaughlin. The bride and groom left at noon, over the Grand Rapids road, for the south, and upon their return they will at once begin housekeeping at No 466 South Harrison street. Mr. McLaughlin is Supt. P. S O'Rourke's private secretary.

Miss Ethel Homsher received Saturday afternoon from 5 till 9 p. m. at the family residence on South Webster street, in honor of her thirteenth birthday. Games, music, tableau and pantomimes were the amusements of the evening. A delicate supper was served in course at 6:30 o'clock. The following misses were present: Clara Fronefield, May Kuckley, Bessie Glenn, Clara Owens, Grace Gates, Floy Gates, Jessie Tuckey, Mable Homsher, Princess Collins, Flora Polhamus, May Whitney, Favor Freeland, Pearl Bond, Grace Chase, Myrtle Lewis, Flossie Blanchard, Grace Irwin and Anna Polhamus.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was a sleighing party given by Roland Walker and Fred Duereeh. The party drove to Wagner's farm, six miles south of the city. The evening was spent in games and music, and at 12 o'clock a delicious lunch was served The party returned to the city at 1 o'clock. Among those present were the Misses Bertha Cour, Gertie Thompson, Blanch Wagner, Blanch Rennison, Ota Johnson, Elva Craig, Maude Jenness, Messrs. Dal Jenness, Harry Alderman, Albert Keplinger, Will Thompson, Roland Walker, Fred Duereeh, Coas Isburry, Harry Turner, Argus Kemp, Harry Hobert.

Jacob Shaffer, a convict at the northern prison, died Saturday forenoon. Shaffer was serving a term of five years for burglary. He was received at the prison in June, 1893. He was set at work on the shoe contract, and after working sometime he was taken ill. When he recovered, lighter work was assigned him on the woolen contract. About six weeks ago he was again taken ill, and became violently insane He refused to touch any food, and as a consequence he gradually wasted away. His mother resides at Warsaw and was notified of his death. Word was received yesterday by the prison authorities to hold the body, and that someone would arrive to convey the remains to Warsaw, where they will be interred.

Mrs. A. Thompson and Mrs. M. G. Walker chaperoned a jolly sleighing party to the pleasant country home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wagner on Friday evening. Those who participated in the pleasures were Misses Gertrude Thompson, Ota Johnson, Elva Craig, Blanche Rennison, Bertha Cour, Ida Wagner, Laura Marff Katie Kemp, and Messrs Charley Osborne, Harry Turner, Fred Duryee, Boland Walker, Argus Kemp, Will Thompson, Bert Fosbender Oliver Robert, Harry Alderman, Dayton Janess, Edward Wagner, Wright Wilson. Music and games were enjoyed until a late hour. After a 12 o'clock supper the young people returned to the city, pronouncing Mr. and Mrs Wagner royal entertainers, E Coleman just the right driver and promising to come again.

The gallery at the Wayne street M E church has been rarely if ever used for the regular Sunday preaching services, but it was brought into requisition last evening in order to seat the immense audience that turned out to hear Rev. Dr. Henry W. Bennett preach the third of the series of special lectures which he is delivering on Sunday evenings. His lecture last night was to young men, and it was a gem of the oratorical art Full of good advice to the young, rich in thought, methodical in its arrangement, embellished with beautiful language, eloquent in its utterance, interesting in all its parts, scholarly and yet characterized with simplicity, logical, humorous instructive and forcible, it was entertaining and held his auditors charmed listeners throughout It was a lecture that was an inspiration to the youth and will be productive of good results Dr Bennett will deliver it in connection with the [illegible] evening

J. F. Schell was in Columbia City over Sunday.

The Seven club met with Mrs. C. B. Woodworth on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. I. White and Miss Jeanette Smith left yesterday for Chicago.

Miss Katherine McDougall went to Chicago today to hear the Paderewski recitals.

Nine persons were added to the roll of the Covenant Bible school yesterday afternoon.

The Epworth league of the Wayne street M. E church hold a business meeting tonight.

Miss Zettie Hirsh, of New York city, will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. Mergenthaim, this week.

On next Saturday, Mrs. A. A. Furman will entertain the English club in a social way after the regular work is done.

The Morning Musical will give a complimentary recital to the members of the Fort Wayne club in the near future.

Mrs. F. D. Cassanave and daughter left Sunday for Chicago, where they will make a short visit before returning to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis, of Decatur, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis, on East Wayne street, parents of Mr. Davis.

Miss Frank Felter, of Huntington, will attend the meeting of the Wednesday club at the house of Mrs. Charles Reed, in Lakeside, next Wednesday.

The Modern Woodmen will install their newly elected officers at the meeting tonight in the A O U W. hall, on Court street The lodge meets every Monday evening.

The only case in police court this morning was that of a Calhoun street saloonkeeper, who was fined $19 50 for selling liquor on Sunday The officers, disguised as farmers, went to his saloon and secured evidence enough to convict him.

Mrs. Darwin S. Root will sing in the "Creation" at Van Wert, on Wednesday of this week. Charles Clark of Chicago, is to be the baritone. Mr. Root is to take the part of "Frederick" in the "Pirates of Penzance," in Columbia City, on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Over 700 tickets have been sold for the Westminster concerts and when 1,000 tickets have been subscribed for the dates of the concerts will be announced. Tickets subscribed for may be had at half price or twenty-five cents for both concerts if 1,000 are sold, otherwise the admission will be twenty-five cents at the door for each.

The second meeting of the east end Baptist mission Sunday school yesterday afternoon was attended by 121 persons and the interest in the work was even more marked than on the preceding Sunday. The room will accommodate 175 pupils and those who have charge of affairs will not relax their efforts until they get that number of regular attendants.

Never were visitors more handsomely treated than were the twenty-six Fort Wayne citizens who went down to Decatur last Saturday to institute a lodge of Pocahontas. The party left at 1:15 o'clock, was met at the depot in Decatur and escorted down to a large hall, where the Red Men and their wives of Decatur had assembled to greet them. After introductions and some preliminary work, the work of instituting the new lodge was taken up and carried on until 6 o'clock, when a recess for supper was taken. The visitors were then taken to the Burt house, where a magnificent spread awaited them. After supper the lodge work was resumed and completed by 11 o'clock, and soon after the Fort Wayne delegation left for home. The new lodge is named "Mafelico," and it starts out with fifty members.

MR. A. GEISMAR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:

Will you kindly call the attention of all parents and teachers in particular to an article in the January Arena—"Spirituality in American Education," by Lilian Whiting. It is full of sound wisdom. A. GEISMAR

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The stockholders of the Tri-State Building and Loan association No. 3, will have their annual meeting Monday evening, Jan. 13th, at 7 o'clock, in the rooms of the association, for the purpose of electing a board of nineteen directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may regularly come before the meeting.

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Private lessons at any time

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Louis Altevoght, of South Calhoun street, is very sick.

Miss Tot Davis, daughter of John Davis, who has been very sick, is recovering.

Policeman Hardendorf has recovered from his attack of grippe and has returned to his beat.

Mrs. F. K. Neise, who has been visiting relatives in this city for some time, returned to her home in Lima, O., today.

REV. JOSEPH COOK.

Authoritative Statement Regarding His Condition.

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—An authorized statement regarding Joseph Cook's condition is published by the Congregationalist. It says: "On August 31 Mr. Cook lectured at Melbourne. The next day (which was Sunday) during his preparation for the service, he was seized with vertigo and almost total loss of sight By the end of September he was sufficiently restored to justify the physician in allowing him to embark from Sydney to Japan, where he was to meet his wife. When he reached Japan on November 21 he was weak in body and depressed in spirits. During the trip across the Pacific he slept only under the influence of opiates. He was the victim of melancholia and worried almost incessantly over his condition. At San Francisco the physician felt it safe for him to travel east. He was taken to Clifton Springs and there is reason to anticipate a favorable termination of his maladies."

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Braddock, Pa.
Buffalo, Pa
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Little Rock, Ark.
Marquette, Mich
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40-inch All Wool Henrietta at 31c, worth 50c.
45-inch All Wool French Serge at 45c, worth 60c
46-inch All Wool Henriets at 48c, worth 75c.
All 50c Novelty Dress Goods reduced to 35c.
54 inch Ladies' Cloth at 39c, reduced from 50c.
All 50c Plaids reduced to 39c.
ALL BLACK DRESS GOODS sold at actual cost.

Underwear & Hosiery sold at cost.

Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests at 12½c, worth 17c.
Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests at 21c, worth 30c.
All Ladies' 50c Underwear reduced to 37½c.
Ladies' 85c Underwear reduced to 62½c.
Ladies' $1.00 Underwear reduced to 75c.
Gents' Grey Mixed Underwear at 20c.
Gents' Camel Hair Underwear at 29c, reduced from 39c.
Gents' 85c Underwear reduced to 62½c.
Gents' $1.00 Underwear reduced to 73c.
All Children's Underwear sold AT ACTUAL COST.

Muslins and Sheetings sold at cost.

Yard wide Unbleached Muslin, extra heavy, at 4½c.
All 6c Unbleached Muslin reduced to 5c
9 4 Unbleached Sheeting at 12½c, worth 17c.
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 17c, worth 20c.
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 19c, worth 25c.
9-4 Bleached Sheeting at 15c, worth 18c.
9 4 Bleached Sheeting at 20c, worth 25c.

All Housekeeping Goods sold at cost.

8c Ticking reduced to 6½c.
10 Ticking reduced to 8c.
13c Feather Ticking reduced to 12½c.
Red Table Damask at 23c, reduced from 30c
Red Table Damask at 25c, reduced from 35c.
Unbleached Table Linen at 22c, reduced from 28c
Unbleached Table Linen at 25c, worth 30c.
Unbleached Table Linen at 29c, worth 35c.
All 50c Table Linens reduced to 39c.

All Towels and Napkins sold at Actual Cost

1 case Grey Blankets, large size, at 48c, worth 75c.
1 case Bed Spreads at 98c, worth $1 25.
1 case Grey Blankets at 85c, worth $1.25.

All Ladies' and Children's Woolen Mittens sold at actual cost.

Grey Mixed Shaker Flannel at 6½c, reduced from 8c.
Dark Outing at 4½c.
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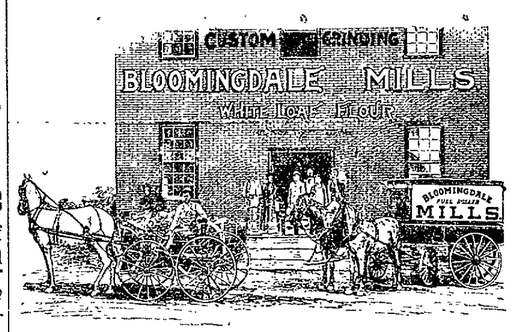

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OHIO'S GOVERNOR.

McKinley Steps Out and Bushnell Steps In.

The Inauguration Ceremonies are Largely Attended—McKinley's Introduction of His Successor.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 13.—Governor McKinley and staff, excepting two absent members, General Botsford, of Youngstown, and Colonel Taylor, of East Liverpool, were photographed by Baker at 8:30 a. m. At 9 a. m. the governor welcomed the International Brick Layers' union in open session, to which all members of labor organizations had been invited to be present. This was simply a neat, formal welcome and was the last but one of the governor's official acts preceding his surrender of office to Governor Bushnell. The bricklayers received McKinley with hearty applause. The attendance is very large and the city extensively decorated.

The inauguration ceremonies inducting Asa S. Bushnell into the office of governor began at 11 a. m., when Governor McKinley and staff and the joint legislative and citizens' committee met him at the Chittenden hotel and, escorted by troop A, of Cleveland; the Champion City guards, and the Fourteenth regiment, O. N. G., proceeded to the state house, where Governor McKinley, addressing the multitude in the rotunda, referred in appropriate terms to the occasion, presented his successor with a commission as governor and introduced him as Governor Bushnell. Governor McKinley said:

"It is a tribute to our institutions and an assurance of their strength and permanence that those who stood opposed to each other at the last election, now cheerfully acquiescing in the popular will, have gathered here to participate in the inauguration of Governor Bushnell, and to wish him God speed and the realization of useful honorable and distinguished administration. No governor ever entered upon his duties with more kindly sentiments of regard and more certain evidences of public confidence, coming from every quarter of the state and from all classes of our people, than he who takes the oath of office today. No governor but one ever came to the office with a larger plurality and but one with a larger popular vote than he. It will be a source of comfort and a tower of strength to him to realize always that he has behind him the people whose only aim is the public good and whose support can be counted upon in every effort to promote the welfare of the state. I congratulate him that he thus joys this confidence and am sure the people will follow him with their blessings and prayers.

"My last official act is done when I present to you Governor Bushnell in behalf of the people and by their command, your commission as governor. No act in my four years in cumbency have given me more genuine pleasure than this. I know it will not be out of place to say—for it is in my heart to say it—that you have my warm and sincere personal good wishes, both in your public and private life. May a kind providence guide and preserve you, not only during the years of your official term, but in all the years of the future, and may your administration be of great advantage to the people, a credit and honor to yourself and one illustrious in the annals of the state."

BULLETS ANSWER A JOKE.

Motorman Shirks for Putting His Cold Hands Down a Friend's Back.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Jan. 13.—Albert Johnson, aged twenty-five, a street railroad motorman, upon returning to his boarding house yesterday morning put his cold hands down the back of G. S. H. Holmes, aged twenty-seven, a fellow boarder. A fight followed and Holmes went to his room, secured a revolver, and, returning, fired five times at Johnson, hitting him three times and killing him instantly. He then gave himself up to the police. Holmes is a civil engineer and came here recently to accept a position in a large machine shop. His father is a former postmaster of Grand Ledge and a prominent citizen there. He is a graduate of the state university and of the state agricultural college.

READY TO FIGHT ENGLAND.

Indiana Belgians Disappointed Because War Is Not Declared.

ECKERTY, Ind., Jan. 13.—This place was in a tustle of excitement Saturday upon the arrival of between eighty and 100 Belgians from the interior of Perry county for the purpose of enlisting in the volunteer service of the United States. They had been told that war had been declared against England, and that a recruiting office had been established here. They are all farmers, and few of them could speak English. They seemed disappointed at the signs of peace they found here, and said they would rather fight until next seed time than otherwise.

Death of a Judge's Widow.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Pierrepont Isham, eighty seven years old, widow of the late Judge Pierrepont Isham, of the supreme court of Vermont, died last evening at the home of her son-in-law, Major Sartell Prentice. Mrs Isham had been ill but a short time. The remains will be conveyed to Manchester Vt., for interment.

Canada's Trouble.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The Times publishes today a column article discussing the recent ministerial trouble in Canada. It says: "A veritable and significant political crisis has escaped attention, owing to the Transvaal difficulties." Continuing, the Times says it believes that if the Hon. MacKenzie Bowen, the Canadian premier, succeeds in forming a cabinet, he will only hold office for a few weeks and will then resign in favor of Sir Charles Tupper, Sr., the Canadian high commissioner to Great Britian.

AN INSANE FATHER

Causes the Death of His Family of Seven.

Waited Until All Were Asleep. Then Methodically Turned on the Gas and Lies Down to Die.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Peter Hougaard, who is thought by the police to have been insane, killed himself, wife and five children last night. The discovery was made by the police today. Upon breaking open the door of Hougaard's residence they found the whole family asphyxiated. Hougaard had evidently waited till all were asleep, and then turning on the gas jets, had calmly laid down and awaited his own death.

Hougaard was a Dane, living at 731 Sixty-first street. He wrote a letter to a friend yesterday telling him what he was going to do, saying he was despondent and spoke of some diamonds which the police would find by his side when they entered the house. The letter, which was written in Danish, was received by Hougaard's friend today and he immediately informed the police of its contents. Captain Gibbons, of the Englewood station, with two officers, went to the Hougaard residence.

The doors were all locked and there was no response to the repeated ringing of the doorbell. Finally the police put their shoulders to the door and forced it from its hinges. They were almost overcome by the fumes of illuminating gas which met them, and it was some moments before the air from the open door cleared the interior atmosphere sufficiently to permit them to enter. Then the police made a hasty survey of the first story, but found nothing and rushed upstairs where they discovered the seven corpses.

The jet of every gas fixture in the house had been opened and death had evidently crept upon all the family, but the husband and father, while they slept.

THE DEAD.

Peter Hougaard, husband and father, forty years old.
Mrs. Hougaard, thirty-eight years old.
Hans, fourteen years old.
Jennie, ten years old.
Olga, eight years old.
Maude, six years old.
Tella, two years of age.

THE BEST PLAN YET.

Congressman Morse Proposes a Deal With Turkey.

He Would Invoke the Co-operation of the Allied Powers to Wipe Out the Turkish Government.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Today being the second Monday of the month was under the rules, set aside for the consideration of business relating to the District of Columbia. Although the consideration of the house rules has not been completed, it was decided to give today to the District of Columbia. Before Chairman Babcock claimed the day Mr. Morse, republican, of Massachusetts, presented the following resolution for reference to the committee on foreign affairs:

"WHEREAS, The most mournful tragedy of the nineteenth century has been and is now being enacted, under the apparent sanction of the sultan of Turkey, by which hundreds of thousands of Armenians are being ruthlessly slaughtered in cold blood, women are being driven into a captivity worse than death and inhabitants who have fled to the mountains are dying of cold and starvation, and

"WHEREAS, the blood of these martyred dead cry to Heaven for justice,

"Resolved, That the committee on foreign affairs consider the expediency of reporting forthwith some expression by this government in denunciation of these atrocities, and if they find as a nation that they are powerless to act, that we invoke the co operation of the allied powers to wipe the Turkish government off the face of the earth and secure the freedom and independence of Armenia."

The resolution was referred and the house then entered upon the consideration of district business.

CHANGE OF FIRM.

Nathan & Kirchheimer Succeed A. Hirsch & Co., Paper Dealers.

There has been a change in the firm of Hirsch & Co., wholesale paper dealers, on East Columbia street. Mr. A. Hirsch retired from the firm and was succeeded by Julius Nathan.

The firm is now composed of Messrs. Julius Nathan, Charles Nathan and Joseph Kirchheimer. The change became effective on January 10. Nathan & Kirchheimer is the name of the new house.

Frank Kochs, of St. Joe boulevard, who has been very low for three weeks with dropsy and heart trouble, is reported out of danger and on the road to recovery.

Night Police Clerk William Hoham, who has been off duty on account of sickness for some time, will return to work tonight.

THE QUEEN LIVES!

A Corean Romance a la Rider Haggard.

Fled Through a Secret Passage and Escaped the Assassins—A Well Guarded Secret.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 13.—A romance equaling anything which Rider Haggard ever wrote comes from Seoul, the capital of Corea, relating to the conspiracy which broke out there last November. The facts are known only to a few persons, one being the king, and all have the strongest motives for concealment.

It will be remembered that on November 28 an unsuccessful plot culminated in an attack on the palace by a number of Coreans belonging to the queen's party. M. Waeber, the Russian charge d' affairs; Drs. Allen and Underwood and other Americans were accused, apparently on strong grounds, of being privy to the plot. They were, in fact, said to have been on the spot simultaneously with the abortive attempt. They, however, denied all complicity. The king and the Japanese, being warned beforehand, posted extra guards and foiled the conspiracy. Your correspondent's information now shows that M. Waeber and the English consul shared the secret, the object being to seize the ministers, expel the Japanese, free the king from the latter's influence, and restore the queen who was reported dead, but who was in reality alive.

The Russian secretary of legation was the leading spirit in the conspiracy and was deputed to convey the queen from her place of hiding to the palace. The failure of the attempt necessitated the keeping of the secret of the queen being in existence, which is now for the first time divulged.

When, in October, the Corean and Japanese broke into the palace the queen, scenting danger, hid hastily, without speaking to her women, in an obscure out house, saw the bodies of her ladies-in-waiting dragged to the pyre prepared for them outside, and watched the completion of the tragedy from her hiding place. The queen was concealed for an hour and a half, every moment expecting discovery. She fled at last through a secret passage to the old palace and then, after changing her dress, made her escape outside the walls of the city, where she reached a place of safety.

When the Japanese and Coreans examined the charred bodies of the women who had been burned, the king and some others shrewdly feigned that they had discovered the identity of the queen in one of the victims, lest a search should reveal her whereabouts and lead to her murder. The Japanese accepted the account of the queen's death as true. M. Waeber and Butler, the latter being the German consul, must have been privy to the secret which was, however, well kept.

Three Coreans were strangled last week as the queen's murderers, while the trial of Viscount Mura and other Japanese officials is proceeding at Hershimo for the murder of a woman who still lives.

Li Han Shin, the leader of the last abortive plot, is in hiding here. An American friend, who came here on the Russian cruiser Ulijaney says that Russia is using the supposed murder of the queen as a wrong against the Japanese, although knowing its falsity.

SENSATIONAL SHOOTING

Occurred in a Dry Goods House at Indianapolis.

Miss Gordon, a Young Lady Clerk, Fired Two Shots at the Floor Walker, Harry Purviance.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 13.—A sensational shooting occurred in the large dry goods house of L. S. Ayres & Co., in Washington street, this morning. Miss Ruth Gordon, a clerk, fired two shots at Harry Purviance, a floor walker. One shot made an abrasion in Purviance's side. The second shot failed to take effect and Purviance grabbed and overpowered his assailant, before she could fire again. Miss Gordon charges Purviance with ungentlemanly conduct toward her. Purviance is married. The shooting caused a panic among the army of clerks. Miss Gordon was reported at police headquarters.

IN A WHIRLPOOL.

A Score of Lives Were Lost in Mexico.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 13.—Prof. E. S. Coffeey, of this city, has received a letter from Lake Chapala, state of Jalisco, Mexico, which says that a few days ago residents of one of the small settlements near the western end of Lake Chapala were terrified to see a gigantic whirlpool raging far out in the water. The water rose in great serpentine movements, and from all directions rushed towards a common center, where a vast cavity seemed to exist. At the same time a heavy rumbling was heard apparently in the bowels of the earth. The whirlpool was caused by the sudden sinking of a large portion of the lakes bottom. The disturbance continued for twenty minutes and before it subsided it is said that several pleasure boats were drawn into the whirlpool and disappeared with their occupants. It is estimated that a score of lives were lost.

Will Go in Business.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 13.—Theodore Breitenstein, the speedy left handed pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, who, it is stated, will leave that team next season, will join the southern Illinois league and play with the club representing the city of Chester. He is not going to depend upon his ball playing for a livlihood, however, but backed by moneyed men in Chester, will go in business there. This is the story given out by his friends. Breitenstein's friends say his decision in the matter is final.

CRISIS NOT OVER.

Affairs in the Transvaal in a Chaotic Condition.

Warrants Have Been Issued for About 300 Persons, Among Them Several Americans.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The political crisis has reached a stage where "further developments" must be awaited before the general public can form a definite idea of how the wind is blowing.

Among the South African politicians it is felt that the crisis is by no means over and it is held by them that the banishments and interdiction placed upon the property of the chief men of Johannesburg cannot be tolerated. This feeling grows out of the Johannesburg dispatch reporting that warrants are out for the arrest of over 300 persons, all leading men in the mines and principal companies of the stock exchange and of the professional element. It was added that among those arrested were several Americans and Germans, including J. S. Curtis, an American engineer. It is generally admitted, also, that the new cabinet of Cape Colony is weak and it is not thought likely that it will last for any length of time.

Considerable feeling has also been caused among the South Africans here by the dispatches from Cape Town announcing the arrest at Seaport, a suburb of Cape Town, of Charles Leonard, chairman of the Transvaal National Union, and under extradition proceedings. This is especially criticised severely and the Globe asks why the Cape government is doing President Kruger's work for him and refusing to perform a similar duty for others.

A despatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Cape Town, published today, says that the latest advices received there from Pretoria state that bail has been refused the ringleaders of the recent disturbances at Johannesburg, and that the other people arrested in the same connection have been liberated, each on $5,000 bail. The despatch adds that it is expected that severe measures will be taken against the leaders of the uprising, in spite of the fact that it is now apparent that they were deceived and taken by surprise by Dr. Jameson's incursion.

Sir Hercules Robinson, the governor of Cape Colony, it appears, has made every effort to secure leniency for the prisoners; but, the extreme section of the Boers are much incensed and very difficult to control. The new ministry of Cape Colony is regarded as adverse to shield the ex-premier, Mr. Cecil Rhodes, and Sir Hercules Robinson. Mr. Rhodes, it is also said, is in very bad health.

Advices from Johannesburg say that the Uitlanders are expecting the Boers to make a house-to-house search for arms and it is stated that the Germans of that place have been holding meetings and passing resolutions telling Emperor William to mind his own business.

Dr. Jameson and his lieutenants, so far as is known, are still at Pretoria, and President Kruger reached a point which will permit of his being sent to Natal under escort, to be delivered over to the British authorities for trial. The Times says that the the officials of the British South Africa company deny that Dr. Jameson was deposed from the position of administrator of their territory on the recommendation of the company.

SEEKING AID FOR AMERICANS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 — Senators Perkins and White, of California, called at the state department today to urge Secretary Olney to take such steps as may be necessary to secure proper treatment for John Hays Hammond, the American mining engineer, who is reported to have been arrested by the Boer officials at Johannesburg on a charge of treason in connection with the recent rising of the Uitlanders in the Transvaal. Secretary Olney informed his callers that he had cabled Mr. Monyon, the United States consular agent at Johannesburg, to do everything proper for the protection of all American citizens in the Transvaal, this course being because the nearest American consul was at Cape Town and too far removed from the scene to be of service.

Ambassador Bayard was called by Secretary Olney to secure from the foreign office in London a direction to the British representatives in South Africa, to use their good offices to protect American citizens. The secretary assured the California senators that American citizens in the Transvaal cannot be tried for treason, so that Hammond's life is not in danger. The most that can be done, it is said, is to fine or imprison him, and probably this will be avoided. Senators White and Perkins express entire satisfaction with what has been done in Hammond's behalf by the state department.

The county commissioners will grant the franchise to the Consolidated Street Railroad company to build an electric railroad to the Swift farm, but will exact a bond of $25,000 that it will be finished according to specifications.

C. H. Walton superintendent of the Detroit railroad at Decatur, spent Sunday in this city.

FOUGHT TO THE LAST.

Negro Desperado Resists Arrest in Florida.

Retires to the Fire of the Officers and is Cremated in the House He Barricaded.

NASSAUVILLE, Fla., Jan. 13.—Pursued by a posse, Harry Jordan, a negro desperado, wanted for murderously assaulting Dr. J. N. Cloud, took refuge in an unoccupied house near Alachua yesterday afternoon. The negro barricaded the doors and swore he would kill the first man who attempted to enter. The posse answered in volley after volley, riddling the house with bullets, but not injuring Jordan, who returned the fire with his Winchester. Finally the posse resolved to set fire to the house, thinking the flames would drive the negro out, when he would be easily captured.

The torch was applied in several places and soon the house was enveloped in flames. The negro, however, made no effort to escape. He stationed himself in the center of the burning building and fired his Winchester in a vain effort to kill some of his pursuers.

The desperado's cries continued to crack until the roof fell in and he was buried by blazing debris. Jordan was known as a bad negro, having killed, it is said, three men. He frequently boasted that no white man would ever capture him alive.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

Harrison's Man Will Be Chairman of the State Committee.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 13.—Reports from the republican primaries held throughout the state Saturday leave no doubt that the Nebeker machine has triumphed most signally over the Gowdy faction and ex-President Harrison's man will be the chairman of the state central committee and manage the coming campaign in this state.

It is also a victory of the friends of W. R. McKeen over Charles W. Fairbanks, as Nebeker is the candidate of the former and is pledged to his interests in the fight for the republican nomination for the United States senate. This phase of the situation had much to do with the result in southwestern Indiana, where the McKeen men threw their strength unreservedly to the Nebeker slates and secured the delegations in almost every case.

Gowdy's friends concede that he can not be elected and the Nebeker men declare that their favorite will have nine and possibly ten members of the state central committee. It develops that Gowdy, though in the fight for the past two months, had comparatively no organization in many counties, while Nebeker men were organized everywhere and had a full representation in all the conventions.

Nebeker was United States treasurer under President Harrison and his friends have been urging his selection as chairman on the ground that he was acceptable to Harrison, while Gowdy was not.

DELINQUENTS MUST SETTLE.

Anderson, Ind., Doctors Post a List of Debtors and Refuse to Attend Them.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 12—The doctors of this county who formed a union three weeks ago for the purpose of not treating any person who was delinquent on any doctor's account until he had first settled his indebtedness, have completed their list of debtors and are having them published. After being audited it was found that there were 1,400 of them. The same name occurs many times on different lists, but the number only includes the name one time. The association is iron bound and while it does not include every one of the 117 doctors, it includes enough to make it advisable to settle up the bills of the past for the emergencies that may arise in the future. These lists are printed in bold type and hung up in full view in every office.

STILL GUARD AGAINST INDIANS.

Old Couple in This State Possessed of a Singular Notion.

WABASH, Ind., Jan. 13—Two miles west of Rich Valley, this county, lives an old couple who cook, eat and sleep in one room and who have their team of horses in one end of the squalid apartment. A day or so ago a passerby, Abe Shilling, entered the place and found the pair alone, with their horses fed to the posts of their bed. An ugly looking shotgun stood near the door at hail cock. The people greeted Shilling very coldly and he didn't tarry. They are said to be possessed of the hallucination that Indians are running at large over the country and for that reason have collected their belongings all in one room.

KRUGER BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Energetic President of the Transvaal a Native of America.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 13—President Kruger, of the Transvaal republic, is a native of Pennsylvania. A local paper made the announcement yesterday that he was born in Mauch Chunk. When twelve years old he left there and went to New York, where he sold papers. One day he shipped on a merchant vessel as a cabin boy, but was so ill treated that when the vessel reached Cape Town he deserted and made his way to the Boer settlement. From a farm hand he rose to his present position.

BOUND OVER.

Frank Irwin Must Answer to Circuit Court for Theft.

Frank Irwin, who was arrested for stealing a hat and a lantern from a Pontiac grocery last Friday night, was given a preliminary hearing before Mayor Oakley on Saturday afternoon and was bound over to the circuit court in the sum of $100. He gave bond for his appearance.

DOG AND PULLET.

More About George Ewing's Fowl Eating Canines.

A Petty Case in New York Courts That Has Become an Interesting Matter.

The New York World of January 11 contained the following in regard to the law suit of the Ravemeyer estate against George Ewing, formerly of this city to recover $40 for some chickens which Mr. Ewing's dogs devoured. The case was mentioned in THE SENTINEL several days ago. The World says:

"Every inhabitant of Babylon, L. I., who owns a chicken is trying to get one of George W. Ewing's Gordon setters to eat it. If the dogs will devour one-third of the birds that are put where they can be caught there will be more money in poultry raised there than ever before.

"Mr. Ewing is a rich man. His kennel is his pride. Gordon setters are his specialty, though he owns other kinds of dogs. The late Commodore Henry Ravemeyer didn't care much for dogs, but devoted a good deal of time and thought to pullets. His birds were celebrated on Long Island for their tenderness and for their nourishing qualities.

"The Gordon setters must have heard about the pullets, for one day they attacked a flock of them that were out taking a walk and left nothing in the way of assets but a few bones and some feathers. Mr. Ravemeyer was not alive at the time, and his estate was in charge of J. L. Humfreville, the executor. When taking a periodical inventory of the personal property on the estate he counted the pullets and discovered that many of them were missing. He made an investigation.

"He found ample evidence against the Gordon setters. A colored man had seen the battle. The pullets were going lawfully about their business, he swore, when suddenly they were molested, waylaid and otherwise beset by the dogs. As was their legal right, the birds put up the best defense they could, but it was not valid and not a pullet escaped to tell the tale.

"The executor of the estate could not sue the dogs but he began proceedings against Mr. Ewing as their next friend and owner. He demanded $40 in settlement, claiming more than the pullets were worth on the ground of trespass. Justice Arthur Neville heard the case.

"Counsel for the pullets showed that the dogs were guilty. He drew a tearful picture of the unfortunate fowl suddenly torn from the arms of their parents and ruthlessly masticated. He asked for punitive damages so that an example might be made of the guilty.

"Lawyer Eugene Fisher, who appeared for the dogs, made a plea in which law and sentiment were blended, 50 per cent. of each.

"'If the dogs had a previous bad character and their owners knew it,' he said, 'he might be liable, but if they went around eating pullets he was not a party to it and was not aware of it. He is not liable for their first offense.'

"Then changing from the emotional to the matter of fact, as only a clever lawyer can, he said: 'These pullets weren't worth more than fourteen cents a pound anyway. There wasn't more than $20 worth of them.'

"Justice Neville has given judgment for the full amount claimed. Mr. Fishel says that the judgment will be contested in every court in the land till justice is done."

STORY OF A WHEEL.

A Crack Rider Pawned Another Man's Bicycle.

He Mailed the Owner the Ticket and the Wheel Was Redeemed This Morning.

A bicycle story just come to a termination today in this city that is of interest. Last summer a bicycle rider named Robert J. Trainor started to ride on a wheel all the way from New York city to San Francisco, for the purpose of advertising the Horstman wheel, which is manufactured by E. I. Horstman, in New York.

Trainor rode as far as Fort Wayne and evidently concluded to give up his job. So he took the wheel to the pawn shop of Horace Mariotte and pawned it for a small amount of money. Will this Trainor bought a railroad ticket to Chicago and when he arrived in the Windy City he mailed the pawn check to Mr. Horstman, the owner of the wheel.

This morning James M. Kane, of this city, who is a personal friend of Mr. Horstman, received the pawn ticket from the latter gentleman by mail, together with sufficient money to redeem the bicycle. Mr. Kane repaid Mr. Mariotte the money Trainor had borrowed and took the wheel. He will send it to its New York owner.

A RARE CHANCE.

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DON'T WANT THEM.

Fort Wayne Banks Will Buy no Government Bonds

Of the New Popular Loan Issue—The Premium Too High and the Interest Too Low.

So far as THE SENTINEL can learn none of the banks of this city will take any part of the new loan of $50,000,000, which is now being offered by the government. The loan is to be in the nature of a "popular loan," judging from what the government officials have been saying, and the idea is to have the people generally subscribe for the bonds instead of selling them all in one to a syndicate.

From various places there have come statements in the effect that numerous banks over the country have signified their intention of taking some of the bonds, but the banks of Fort Wayne do not intend to subscribe to the loan.

Mr. J. D. Bond, of the old National bank, said to THE SENTINEL, when asked about the matter: "I do not know of anyone in the city who will take any of the loan. So far as this bank is concerned we shall not go into it. I think the whole scheme is a mistake. I doubt if the government will be able to place the full amount of the issue in the country as a popular loan, and if this is true and the syndicate goes to pieces the government will be in a hole. I do not believe any of the bonds will be sold in this city."

Mr. Charles McCulloch, president of the Hamilton National bank said: "I have not heard of any Fort Wayne banks who will buy bonds. We shall not do so. Our circulation is full and we have no money with which to buy them as an investment, because the premium is too high. It would be virtually making a 1 per cent loan at 4 per cent."

Cashier Lem R. Hartman, of the First National bank, replied thus to the inquiries: "We have had a few calls for the bonds from individuals, but they will not buy any. I think they all want to get the bonds at par and, of course, that is out of the question. Several parties have told us that if we could get them some of the bonds at par they would take them, but when a man says that he is simply talking funny. There will be very few, I say, of them sold in this city, because they are not a good investment for Fort Wayne people. In the smaller towns, where there are no manufacturing concerns to whom the banks can loan their money, the bonds will be readily taken, because it is about the only means they have of investing their money where it can be turned back into cash at any time. But in Fort Wayne the banks can loan their money at a better rate of interest to the manufacturers and business men. And then, this is a great city of homes. When a man gets a thousand dollars here he goes and buys a lot and puts up a house. He does not buy bonds. In the big cities it is different. A man with a thousand or two dollars cannot buy property with such a small sum and he is usually ready to invest in bonds. That is where most of the money comes from with which to buy government bonds. For that reason I do not believe any of the new loan will be taken here."

President John I. White, of the White National bank, said: "Our bank has talked some of bidding on some of the bonds, but we have not made up our mind to do so. I do not know of any one in the city who will bid on them."

THE COURTS.

Oliver Foulks' Case is Sent to Justice Taucey.

The Roller Will Case on Trial—Two More Divorce Suits Brought—Court News.

Oliver Foulks, who keeps the saloon at the corner of Calhoun and Wayne streets filed an affidavit in Justice Boberg's court against Policeman Albert Foulks for a felonious assault. Justice Boberg sent the case to Justice Taucey and put Foulks under bond at $100 which was given, for his appearance. The officer visited the place of Jackson, in the round of his duties, when the difficulty occurred between the two, Jackson claims Foulks assaulted him. The parties give different versions of the affair and court will endeavor to decide which one is right and which one is wrong.

The Roller will case, which THE SENTINEL noticed at some length last week, was begun before a jury in the circuit court this morning and will occupy the rest of the week. Henry Colerick made the opening statement to the jury this afternoon. The case involves $12,000 and the plaintiffs are the daughters of the deceased who were ignored in the will.

Constable Roemble went out into Lake township this morning to arrest August Ruff and Frank Sterling for the illegal sale of liquor. Five affidavits were filed against each of them in Justice France's court.

Constable Johnson went to Hoagland to arrest Joseph Mowrer for bastardy. The affidavit was filed before Justice France by Amanda Wyatt.

Clara Varian has filed proceedings for divorce from Reuben Varian. She asks $1,500 alimony. E. V. Emrick is her attorney.

Maud Harmeyer has filed proceedings for a divorce from John Harmeyer and the custody of her child. P. B. Colerick is attorney for the plaintiff.

Balzar Federspiel, jr., sues Fred Roebke et al., to foreclose a mortgage for $1,500. R. B. Droibelbiss is attorney for the plaintiff.

August Korn and Amelia Brunner, John B. Prunger and Alice B. Landis, Allen C. Gorrell and Jennie E. Haybrook, Albert Howard and Matilda Keller, William E. McLaughlin and Elizabeth Quinn, Henry Meier and Minnie Kemper, Peter Hinen and Frances Bober have been licensed to wed.

Justice Ruhen imposed a fine of $10 and costs on Gottrich Walds, charged with wife desertion.

Justice Hayes acquitted Rus George, charged with maintaining a house of ill fame on East Main street, and continued the case of Edward Keever, charged with the same offense.

The board of commissioners have accepted the new Orphans' home and already the society is in possession of the building.

The county commissioners will go to Chicago Thursday to look at building stone to be used in the erection of our new court house. Their design is to use the very best material.

In Justice France's court, Leonard McCrory and Benjamin Moore, of Leo, charged with stealing a set of harness from Harris & Krider, were sent to jail in default of $100 bond to insure their appearance when wanted. An old man named Payne, residing on Pearl street, was fined $1 and costs on a charge of provoke, preferred by Bella Simps, in the same court.

A MISSING GIRL.

An Officer Searching for Miss Ella Hamlin.

Who Disappeared From Marion Last Week—Thought She Came to This City.

Policeman Henry G. Ives, of Marion, Ind., has been in the city for several days looking for a girl named Ella Hamlin, who disappeared from her home in that city one day last week. The girl came from a good family and the cause of her disappearance is somewhat mysterious. Her mother thought she had come to this city, inasmuch as she had been heard to say that she wanted to come here. The mother was alarmed over her absence and feared that something bad would happen to her therefore she sent the officer to this city to find her if possible. Officer Ives, in company with members of the police force of this city, has made a search of the city and watched all the resorts and questionable places but have been unable to locate her. Sunday the officers visited all the skating places, thinking that, inasmuch as the girl is a fine skater, she might have taken a notion to indulge in the sport, but she could not be found anywhere. Officer Ives will go home this evening. Miss Hamlin, the missing girl, is said to be exceedingly handsome and is well educated.

Barsley's Blend Coffee is being served free at the People's Store. 10-11-14

Henry Wappel of New York East [illegible] Wednesday, Wednesday, [illegible]

WONDERFUL INCREASE.

Westminster Church Receives Forty-four New Members.

That Number United With the Church Sunday—Over One Hundred Additions in the Church Year.

Forty-four persons were received into the membership of Westminster church yesterday, twenty of whom were on certificates from other churches and twenty-four on confession of faith. With the exception of four these additions were all adults and but few had any former connection with the church. Ninety-eight have been received since February 1, 1895, and as some others are soon to be received there will be a total of 100 or more by the expiration of the year ending February 1, 1896.

DIED DEATHS.

Joseph Reginel Succumbs to Cancer—Mrs. George Eisinger Dead.

Joseph Reginel, aged seventy-four years, died yesterday morning at the St. Joseph hospital from cancer. He leaves six children one son being a priest at Auburn, Ind. The funeral will take place at the hospital at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Ella Eisinger the wife of George Eisinger died Sunday morning at the family residence, No. 56 Gay street. She was a sufferer from dissection of the bowels and a few days ago an operation was performed, but she could not survive the ordeal. She leaves a husband and ten small children. The funeral will be at the English Lutheran church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Barsley's Blend Coffee is a fine mixture of Java and Mocha. It is served free at the People's Store. 10-11-14

Arbitration Commission.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Venezuelan commission and the British commission today as were entertained at Presidents [illegible]

IT INCREASES FLESH.

The New Dyspepsia Cure Does It.

A Few Remarkable Instances.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, the new discovery which has made so many wonderful cures of dyspepsia and stomach troubles recently, is what its name implies, a dyspepsia cure. It digests the food and gives the stomach perfect rest, which is the only way dyspepsia can be cured. Weak stomachs require to be strengthened by exercise, and this is the reason why all other so-called dyspepsia cures only relieve for the moment, because they rest the stomach entirely. Nature then has no chance to restore the stomach to its normal condition. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the only preparation which digests the food and thus gives the stomach a chance to rest and recuperate. They go to work on whatever food is in the stomach, digest it, and thus nourish the blood and tissues. Consequently the appetite increases, and as the blood is made pure and rich by perfect digestion, the whole system is nourished and the cheeks become plump and rosy. Dyspepsia is the reason why so many people are thin in flesh, and the moment the stomach is put into perfect condition by using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, that moment the flesh begins to increase, and continues to increase as long as the stomach is given perfect rest. Dr. Harlan, a specialist in stomach troubles, says in his own practice where patients were fed on predigested food, they would put on flesh very rapidly, sometimes as much as a pound a day. Why cannot the stomach be given perfect rest by using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which do their work perfectly and positively? Another case is that of Mr. Peter Rhodes, of Nashville, who says he has "taken pills by the bushel, but was so miserable, run down, discouraged and nervous that I felt as if I never could be a well man or woman again. I was advised to try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which I have been using for the past month, and I want to say that they have done me more good than all the medicine I have ever taken. I have gained in weight and while I am not fat, I don't want to be, yet my friends say I am getting plump enough and my muscles and nerves are unshakable."

The one great claim about Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is that it can be taken with perfect safety, the formula being known to every physician. No unpatented secret patent medicine can compare with it. Think more before you put something into your stomach you know nothing about, and if you are run down in flesh, have any trouble with the stomach or your appetite is poor, get druggist to get Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and take no substitute. If your druggist has not got them insist on his getting them for you, as they are sold by all wholesale druggists.

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. M. MACMETT.

MONDAY, JAN 13, 1896

TONIGHT.

MASONIC TEMPLE—Frank Harvey's melodrama, "The Land of the Living."
EMPIRE THEATRE—Vaudeville Entertainment.
PARLIAMENTARY COTERIE—Meet at Public Library
WAYNE STREET M. E. CHURCH—Business Meeting of the Epworth League.
SPECIAL MEETING—Soldiers', Sons' and Citizens' Republican Club.
REVIVAL SERVICES—Free Methodist Church
LABOR UNIONS—Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen Barber's Union.
WAYNE TRUE BLUES—Special meeting
PHILHARMONIC CLUB—Regular meeting.
LODGES—Sol D. Bayless Lodge, No 539 F. and A. M., Fort Wayne Hive No 6, L. O. T. M.; Degree of Honor No 22, A. O. U. W.; Fort Wayne Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., Phoenix Lodge No 101, K. of P.

BEGIN now to measure the size of the presidential looms

THE city council will tackle the street car question again tomorrow night.

GOV. M. KINLEY, of Ohio, is now a private citizen, having retired from the office of governor of that state to lay.

THE democratic mass meeting to be held Wednesday night ought to be attended by every democrat in Fort Wayne.

IF WAR should come the death record would be terrible. All the great nations are well supplied with engines of destruction.

NEXT Thursday the national democratic committee will meet in Washington to choose the place for holding the national democratic convention Which city will get it?

WILL the democrats have a primary election or a delegate convention for the nomination of a city ticket? That matter will come up for discussion at the mass meeting to be held Wednesday night.

NOTWITHSTANDING all the talk about war, there isn't going to be war. The people of the civilized nations are for peace and the international disputes will be settled by arbitration, as they should be.

ALL the candidates for the presidency regard Governor McKinley as the leading candidate on the republican ticket, but the fact that he is the second choice of practically all with whom he is not first, places an obstacle in the way of a combination against him.

THE Nicholson law is productive of good results, as witness the following telegram from Richmond, taken from the Indianapolis Sentinel of Sunday: "In the time that the Nicholson law has been in operation here it has wonderfully reduced the number of police court cases and there is a dearth of news in that line. There never were so few arrests for drunkenness in the history of the city as now, and the metropolitan police system has also served to reduce the number of gambling and sporting houses until such things are hardly ever heard of any more.

MR. JOSEPH MEDILL, the nestor of the Chicago press, and one of the most conspicuous of American newspaper men, Saturday became the president of the Chicago Press club. He was elected to the office by the unanimous vote of the club.

THE state board of education, at its meeting Saturday, decided to ask the next legislature to enact a law providing an educational qualification for school superintendents, both county and city. President Smart, of Purdue university President Parsons, of the state normal school, and Superintendent Goss, of the Indianapolis schools, were appointed a committee to devise and report to the board at its next meeting a scheme for the presentation of the subject to the general assembly.

ELSEWHERE in THE SENTINEL today is published the call, signed by a number of prominent democrats of this city, for a mass meeting to be held Wednesday night for the purpose of discussing plans of organization and measures in reference to the approaching city election. The meeting is an important one and THE SENTINEL desires to urge every democrat to attend it. Good citizenship requires every voter to take an interest and a part in these preliminary meetings of his party and no democrat should neglect this duty.

Congressional Absenteeism.

The attempt last week to impose a pecuniary penalty upon members of congress for absence from duty without legitimate cause deserved a stronger support, though it couldn't have had a more respectable indorsement than it received. On a demand for the yeas and nays, there were thirty-nine affirmative votes against 182 in the negative, and the amendment to the pending question was lost by practically the same vote, which, it may be added was strictly non-partisan. But the handful of devotees to duty who supported the proposition deserve the more cordial commendation because of the meagerness of their forces. Their defeat was overwhelming, but it should not be discouraging. "The race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong."

The proposition of Mr. De Armond was a just one and will ultimately prevail. There is no more reason why congressmen should be paid for services not rendered than that street laborers or mechanics should be compensated for time spent in idleness or wasted in the saloons. A congressman who absents himself from public labors in order that he may profit by the pursuit of private and personal occupations should voluntarily relinquish claims for compensation for the time. "The laborer is worthy of his hire," but it is neither honest nor just that he should claim wages for work that has not been performed. This is a plain principle of practical business, and though, for the time being, it may not meet with the approval of those whose pecuniary interests are affected, a refined and quickened public sentiment will force its recognition in the end.

The supporters of this obviously just principle, therefore, should not abandon their position or yield to what is only a temporary defeat. Let them persevere in the fight and renew the battle whenever opportunity is offered. It is not true, as was stated during the debate last week, that the rule increases "sickness." It is possible that it increases dishonesty, but that is only a temporary evil. The statesman who will lie at the expense of his health or his "family's health" to secure an unearned per diem will soon become an ex statesman, and when the higher order of integrity and manhood is called to fill the vacancy happily created the salary grabbers will become only an odious memory.

MR. F. R. Diffenderfor of the Lancaster (Pa.) New Era has perhaps done his country an important service in the matter of the Venezuelan boundary question by sending to the secretary of state the volume in which Sir Robert Schomburgk describes his original journey through the unknown wilds of what is now disputed territory. He afterward surveyed and defined the boundary mark which is known as the Schomburgk line, but whether that line was beyond what he considered British territory only he probably knew at that time. At any rate, the passage in his book which is a sort of giving away of himself reads as follows: "At length the column was put in marching order, the coxswain at the head, carrying the British untending, under which they had been marching for the past three years through hitherto unknown parts of Guiana. Now it was to lead them beyond British boundaries, into regions known only to the copper colored Indians." At the time of which he speaks in this paragraph Schomburgk was leaving a village on the Mahu river.

One of the prominent facts brought out by the Philadelphia trolley strike is the meanness of human nature as developed among cabmen, even in the city of William Penn. A majority of the hack drivers of Philadelphia are doubtless decent, honest men, but the cues that attracted most attention themselves during the strike were notoriously of the other kind. One fellow is mentioned who, after bargaining to take a lady a very short distance for $1.50, flatly refused to bring her back unless she paid him five dollars. If this kind of thing continues, people will shun all cabmen and hack drivers as so many highway robbers.

England would hate awfully to go to war with America. In the last year her exports of manufactures to us have increased more than one half, while the value of her woolen exports has increased tenfold. During the months of November we took from her $3,500,000 more in textile fabrics than we did in November a year ago. War would be a very awkward affair all round.

MASS MEETING.

Call Issued for a Conference of City Democrats.

To Be Held on Wednesday Evening at 7:30 O'clock at the Circuit Court Rooms.

This being presidential year, when national, state, congressional and county tickets are to be elected, the democrats of this city are preparing to enter the coming city campaign with a united front, and they have therefore issued a call for a mass meeting to be held on next Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for conference. The committee have not been able to see all the democrats in the city to secure their signatures to the call, but they are desirous of having all attend and they earnestly request them to do so and participate in the proceedings of the meeting Wednesday night. The canvass for signatures has been a hasty one and had not been completed when THE SENTINEL went to press. Other names will be added. The call is as follows:

WHEREAS, At a meeting of the democratic city central committee the following resolution was adopted, viz:

"Resolved, That the members of this committee as individuals, in co-operation with the democratic citizens of Fort Wayne, call a mass meeting to be held at the circuit court room on January 15, 1896, for the purpose of organization"

Now, therefore, we, the undersigned, members of the democratic city central committee and democratic citizens of Fort Wayne fully concur in said resolution and hereby unite in a call for a democratic mass meeting, to be held in the circuit court room on January 15, 1896 at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of organization and preparing for the coming campaign, and we cordially invite every citizen of Fort Wayne to be present and participate at such a meeting.

Allen Zollars,	John Ward,
V Offenloch,	Chas F Mubler,
P. W. Schaden,	A W Golden,
F. M. Smith,	F. C. Meyer,
G. McCulloch,	J. M. Barrett,
M. V. Walsh,	W. W. Mungen,
A. L. Friend,	C. E Reese,
E. H. Parker,	A. Hattersley,
Louis Fox,	H. M. Diehl,
J. R. Merriweather,	Louis J. Bobilya,
M Himbert,	John Mohr,
Phil Lintlag,	F. J. Gruber,
J. M Kane,	G. R Heuch,
A. J. Dittoe,	E. L. Daseler,
John C Figel,	Alfred Hattersley,
W. H. Drier,	M H. Bohen,
Joseph V. Fox,	B J. Spencer,
Otto Herlist,	W. F. Breen,
Samuel N. Foster,	C. W. Edsall,
Ben Lehman,	Isaac Trauerman,
H. L. Studer,	Fred Goebel,
Wm. F. Ranke,	D. J. Shaw,
A. F. Glutting,	S. B Bond,
W. H. Tiger,	G. W. Steinacker,
John N. Roybans,	B F. Fisher,
P. H Kane,	Edward J. Ehrman,
Fred G Schneider,	D. M. Monahan,
Allen Hamilton,	Charles Ditton,
W. H. Shambaugh,	Wm. Meyer, jr.,
August Korn,	Henry A. Read,
F. W. Bandt,	Geo. Hunkenius,
Frank J. Geiger,	A. L. Griebel,
H. F. Bullerman,	Thomas Meegan,
F. J. Scheid,	S. C. Henderson,
D Fetgen,	S. McMahon,
C. L. Smith,	F. M. Miller,
F. A. Bloomfield,	J. H. Hobrock,
W. J. Hass,	G. P. Gordon,
R. W. Learmonth,	E. J. O'Connell,
H. T. Schwegman,	J. T. Leary,
Henry G Sommers,	R. J. Fisher,
E. H. McDonald,	Wm. Stephan,
Wm. Doehrman,	S. C. Lumbard,
R. C. Bell,	E. M. Wilson,
J. E K. France,	M. C. Gross,
Thomas McGee,	J. D. Bond,
Byron Hattersley,	J. Mommer, jr.,
Frank Dildine,	K. J. Bauer,
J. D. Sarnighausen,	John Dalman,
Wm. Keough,	C. Flaugh,
Anselm Fuelber,	J. H. Fry,
O. E. Bradway,	Wm. Bittler.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION

Of Officers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

A Pleasant Event at Hibernian Hall Sunday Night—Address of Hon. W. F. Breen.

Hibernian hall was filled to overflowing last night with a crowd that assembled to witness the public installation of the officers of Divisions Nos. 1 and 3, of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and to enjoy the entertainment that was to accompany it. County President M. F. Belger was the installing officer and the following were the officers who were inducted into office:

DIVISION NO. 1.

President—John H. Rehan.
Vice President—John Brannan.
Recording Secretary—John J. Reed.
Financial Secretary—Patrick Ryan.
Treasurer—Owen Barry.

DIVISION NO. 3.

President—Daniel J. Gordon.
Vice President—P. E Brennahan.
Recording Secretary—C. J. Moran.
Financial Secretary—Hugh Hogan, jr.
Treasurer—J. B. Ryan.

After the installation of the officers a very interesting program was rendered. It was as follows:

Piano solo.....Miss Kate Sweeney
Vocal duet.....
Address.....Hon. W. F. Breen
Song.....Charles Dunn
Vocal duet.....Mr. and Miss McKay
Piano solo.....Miss Kate Sweeney
Vocal duet.....Miss Jennie O'Brien

The program was a most pleasing one in every particular, and was heartily applauded. The address of Mr. Breen was listened to with close attention. He gave an outline of the objects and aims of the order and said that the foundation stone of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was true Christian charity.

Any order or organization, he said, that has for its object the practice of charity is worthy the respect of every human being. It is a gift from God. Mr. Breen followed the history of Ireland in which is written the valorous and patriotic deeds of the sons of the Emerald Isle. He told of the greatness of the Irish people in art, literature, music and all other intellectual advancements, and told of the love of liberty that is implanted in the breast of every man but which, in the Irishman, is kept from bursting forth by the oppression of British rule. He spoke of the fealty of the Irishman to the constitution and the laws and institutions of the United States, because it is the greatest country on the globe, and said that to be a good Hibernian a man must be a good American citizen, loyal to her flag and her institutions and charitable to all mankind.

Mr Breen's address was roundly applauded.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians has had a remarkable growth in this city. It was first organized three years ago with thirty-five members. Last summer division No. 2 was organized, and during the early winter division No. 3 came into existence. The membership now numbers over 600 in the three divisions. Col. J. H Rohan has been president of division No. 1 ever since its organization and was honored again by selection this year.

INSURGENTS KILLED.

Their Ranks Being Depleted by the Dozens.

So the Spanish Telegraph to the World, But Navy a Spaniard Hurt.

HAVANA, Jan. 13—Quite a commotion was caused in certain circles here last night by the report that the insurgents were approaching Havana. The news spread with great rapidity and there was considerable relief among the Spanish authorities when it was discovered that the alarming reports grew out of the explosion of an immense torpedo in the village of Vedao, near this city. There was very little news from the frontier this morning and it was all of an unimportant character. Dispatches from Santiago de Cuba tell of a skirmish there in which the insurgents left seven killed and the troops captured nine prisoners.

From Matanzas there was a despatch announcing another skirmish between the insurgents and the Spanish troops during which the former had eight killed in addition to their leader, Roquerdeuz. The insurgents are also said to have retired carrying with them thirty-two wounded.

At Mount Guayabo, a new band of insurgents, commanded by Ruperto Sanchez, in a brush with the troops, had five men wounded. The insurgents, who have been in the vicinity of Managua, about twelves miles from this city, have retired with the loss of five killed and twenty-seven wounded. As intimated in these dispatches, General Maximo Gomez, at the head of his insurgent column, has executed a countermarch. He seems to have reached Las Manges, south of Arcimas, in the province of Pinar del Rio, and then he turned round and headed eastward for Alquizar and Guiuramesta, and when last heard from was moving northward toward Havana after passing Quivicun. General Maceo was last reported at Rabiahonde, and Bandera is said to be at San Cristobal, and to the westward of Havana and in the province of Pinar del Rio. Another report has it that General Maceo's forces are moving eastward with the intention of placing himself in communication with General Gomez. The Spanish authorities here claim that the insurgents will now leave the provinces of Havana and Pinar del Rio for the province of Matanzas.

LOCAL LINES.

The Fort Wayne Grays had a very interesting drill on Bass' lake yesterday afternoon. About 500 people were present.

Revival services at the Berry street M. E. church tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. C. C. Cissell, pastor, will preach and conduct evangelistic services. The membership and friends of the church are invited to be present. A cordial welcome for all.

Saturday evening a party of young people gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs. Baty, on West Superior street, to form a sleighing party to drive to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerick, a short distance west of Dunfee. Notwithstanding the fact that the streets were pretty badly spoiled, the party was given and the country roads were found to be in good condition. Music of all kinds passed away the time and the party soon reached their destination. At 12 o'clock a bounteous supper was served, after which games and music were indulged in until the morning light dispelled the darkness of the night, when the party left for home. Those forming the party were as follows: Misses Nora Wilsey, Leora Hale, Alice Baty, Ida Baty, Nora Congdon, Bessie Wilson, Maude Wilson, Georgie Baty, Mrs Baty, Messrs Ed. Cope, Train Stafford, Robert Cook, Charles Howell, Ed. Reel, Harry Whitney, and several others who were met at the home.

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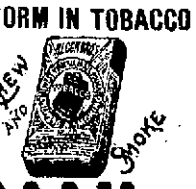

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HOARDED THE MAIL.

For Seven Years the Postmistress Failed to Deliver It.

Postoffice Inspector Fletcher Makes a Remarkable Discovery at a Floyd County Postoffice.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 13—Postoffice Inspector William T. Fletcher, of this city, has discovered a postoffice in this state that among curiosities in the annals of the department, rivals them all. At Georgetown, Floyd county the postoffice is conducted by Miss Louisa Mutweiler, an old maid, who had some most peculiar ways. For a long time complaints have been received at the postoffice department of mail that was addressed to this office that was not delivered. Finally Mr. Fletcher was ordered to make an investigation. When he appeared at the office he found the postmistress standing on about three feet of mail matter that had accumulated on the floor of the office. This was last Friday. Mr. Fletcher called in several of the citizens of the place, who were the bondsmen of the postmistress, and began cleaning up the office. He hauled away forty one handcart uls of second-class matter from the floor of the office. This was placed in another building.

He then began a further examination of the premises. He found seventeen tie sacks full of other mail matter stored in almost every conceivable place. Some of it was stuck away in old chests, other was tied up in bundles and covered with old dress skirts. This matter was of dates ranging all through the last seven years.

He found over three thousand letters dated back as far as 1889, some of them of considerable importance, and all addressed to people living near the office. One letter contained the accounts of a brandy gauger that had been returned to him from the internal revenue department for correction more than three years ago. J. J. Thomas one of Miss Mutweiler's bondsmen, who assisted in the work, found a letter addressed to himself, containing some insurance policies that had been mailed three years ago.

When Mr. Fletcher called at the office Miss Mutweiler did not want to let him in, but she soon recognized his authority and admitted him. After he had straightened out the office, during which time the postmistress was secluded, she reappeared and began a search for her registry books, which she thought had been carried away with the other things of the office. After being assured that they were all right, she retired again. During the last six months Miss Mutweiler has not registered a letter. When Mr. Fletcher took charge of the office she did not have $1 worth of stamps and stamped envelopes in the office. Mr. Fletcher turned the office over to her bondsmen, who will select some one to act as postmaster until the department can make an appointment.

The case was pronounced by Mr Fletcher as one of the most peculiar he has had in his experience of seventeen years. Miss Mutweiller has been post mistress at Georgetown for fifteen years. The mail discovered dates back seven years.

It is not known whether she discharged her duties properly prior to 1889 or not. Imagination can picture many things that might have been otherwise if this servant of Uncle Sam had properly discharged her duties. No one will ever know the heartaches and the permanent estrangements that were caused by the failure of Miss Mutweiller to deliver the sweet epistles of lovers that came into her hands. This revelation will explain to many why that long looked-for letter never came, and why some heartbroken girl made a loveless marriage when she thought she was deserted by the only man she ever loved. Imagination might go further and see a sad faced girl making daily calls at the little postoffice window for a letter, her face growing thinner every day, until finally sickness, aggravated by the pain of disappointment, ends in the blighting of a bud.

Made No Difference.

Mrs. Runnitt—I don't see any particular advantage in our sex wearing bloomers.

Mrs. Findesiscle—Why not?

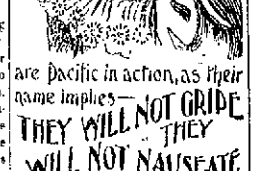
Mrs. Runnitt—Because men continue to wear the pants notwithstanding.

Why He Stopped.

Cobble—Miss Splinlow says that you don't write any more poetry to her. What's the matter, old man?

Stone—I am trying to marry her.

PACIFIC PILLS



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M. POBEDONOSTSEFF.
(Russian Statesman.)

religion and politics and because he had a ready answer for every question. The crown prince died in 1865 and the grand duke became heir to the throne. In 1866 he invited his instructor to remain two years longer about his person, had him appointed member of the imperial council, and in 1880 placed him in his present position.

An Aged Author.

After a long diplomatic career, Sir Edward Malet has entered upon the more perilous one of writing opera librettos. The book of "Herold," lately produced at Covent Garden, was announced as his, but, to his great indignation, the text had been "edited" and changed in what seemed to him the most cruel and shocking manner. A great part of the story was simply excised. So Sir Edward determined that his friends shall not be under any delusion as to the real character of his libretto, is circulating it privately, showing the beauties as they came from his pen, and as they were mutilated by a tyrannical impresario.

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He had been standing on the curbstone for 20 minutes or more watching the cable cars ply up and down. His manners and attire both indicated that he had seen better days. He had surely not seen worse. The tatters in his coat told of excursions unhindered by barbed wire fences, and the grease spots on his pantaloons betrayed an intimate acquaintance with the under mechanism of a freight car. After a moment of indecision he crossed to the car tracks and hailed the gripman.

"Cap'n," he said, "what's the price?"

"Five cents a trip," was the answer.

"All right," he responded, tendering a silver coin. "Take yer nick out o' this."

"Sit down. The conductor'll get it."

"Sit down in this car along with the mob? Not much. I'm goin in front an ride in the hammock."

The car had started, and the man was hanging with one foot on the step. He kept a furtive eye on the conductor.

"You must mean the feller," said the gripman.

"Christen it as you please. There's where I wanter ride."

"Well, you can't. It's against the rules."

"But I've set my heart on it. Next to the cowcatcher of a locomotive, it's the most select place in the outfit."

"It can't be done."

"Then we parts. I'm sorry ter lose ye, cos in the few blocks I've rode with ye ye've turned out ter be right good company. But I can't ride with the vulgar herd that wears mask an carries babies, when I might as well be swingin in comfort, smokin a cigar an viewin the unobstructed landscape. Besides, ye've the 'leventh feller that's refused me that berth today, an I ain't got much farder to go nohow."

He dropped off just as the conductor reached for his fare.

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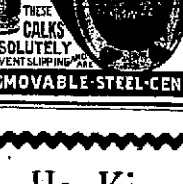

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All parties having knowledge of acts of cruelty to animals or children will greatly favor and assist the Fort Wayne Humane Society by telephoning or writing any information to Officer Schlandroff, 32 Clinton street. Telephone No. 8.

Miss Abbie Carter, of Defiance, Ohio, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Taylor, of West Wayne street.

KILLED AT MONMOUTH.

Louis Scheiffestine's Dead Body Found on the Tracks.

Items of Local Interest Picked Up on a Dull Day and Arranged for the Reader.

The man killed on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, four miles north of Decatur, last Saturday morning, has been identified as Louis Scheiffestine, who lived near Monmouth. He had been in this city, going home on No 6. He got off the train at Williams and started to walk up the track towards his home. The remains were found by the section men and turned over to Acting Coroner A. J. Hill, who held an inquest and then turned the body over to the relatives for burial. Scheiffestine was thirty-one years old and unmarried. He leaves a father, mother, brother and several sisters. The deceased was a brother to Fred Scheiffestine, foreman of the truck gang in the Pittsburg lumber yards. He was a frequent visitor in Fort Wayne. It is supposed that the man was struck by the north-bound Grand Rapids train No 5, and Engineer J. R. Anderson, who brought that train in Saturday morning, was summoned to Decatur to attend a coroner's inquest today. Anderson did not see any man on the tracks at the point where Scheiffestine's body was found and did not know of the accident until yesterday.

GETS HIS FUEL FREE.

Oscar Wilder, a resident of Marion, Ohio, and a passenger brakeman on the Chicago and Erie road, lives along the line of the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo railroad. He had a big tin rooster made, which he mounted on a pole and put up in his back yard. Under the rooster he had a conspicuous sign painted, which reads: "Do not throw at this." The Hocking Valley is a great coal road, most of the traffic consisting of coal. The brakemen and firemen were not long in discovering that tin rooster, and to show their contempt for the sign, they throw big pieces of coal at it while the trains are passing and they try their best to knock the rooster out of time. Wilder already has several tons of coal in his bins and is thinking of engaging in the sale of the fuel to work off the surplus.

HOW FLEMING WAS KILLED.

The Toledo Bee of last Saturday contained the following account of the accident which cost Herbert D. Fleming, night depot master at the union station in Toledo, his life. "He had just sent out the two special theater trains that came to Toledo last evening—one over the old road and the other over the air line. He was moving rapidly across the tracks between the cars left standing there and stepped on a track just as the pony backed down. He was thrown under the wheels and they ran over his body diagonally, from the shoulder to the hips."

The Wabash uses the same depot and the dead man was well known to the trainmen on that line. Fleming leaves a wife and two children. The wife is an invalid.

AN ANDREWS MAN HURT.

F. Schwartz, of Andrews, was in the city last Saturday and boarded Wabash train No. 43 in the evening, with the intention of going home. But when the train started on its westward journey Schwartz changed his mind and made a rush for the coach door. He jumped and when his feet struck the platform he pitched forward, scratching and skinning his face upon the planks in a manner which will make him unrecognizable to his friends at first glance. The man was cared for by the attaches at the freight house and later took a train for home.

BRIEF MENTION.

J. C. Peoples, of the Pittsburg planing mills, is sick.

William Sudabrink, a cabinetmaker at the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off duty.

James Costigan, clerk at the electric works, is sick and unable to be at his desk.

It is said that the Erie will abolish its district passenger and division freight agencies.

After two weeks' illness, Machinist Fred Geerken resumed work in the Pittsburg shops this morning.

John Weber, of the Pittsburg round house, resumed work this morning, after an illness of four or five days.

The electric works this morning displayed the card "No Help Wanted." The works recently increased its shop force.

Herman Remmert, machinist at the Bass works, has recovered from an attack of the grip which kept him from his work last week.

Joseph Carry was struck upon the forehead Saturday afternoon by a piece of iron which made a gash over an inch long. He will be off duty a few days. George Killen, of the same shop, is disabled by sickness.

The Valparaiso Messenger says that the Fort Wayne road will build twenty miles of double track east of that city next summer.

The Baltimore and Ohio road refuses to enter into an agreement with other lines on the matter of fixed charges for carrying bicycles.

Jules Simons, Pittsburg machinist, is sick again, having suffered a relapse of the grip. He worked Saturday, and that night was taken ill.

Robert Taylor, Louis Altevoght and Louis Cupp, machinist at the Bass works, failed to put in an appearance today and are supposed to be sick.

Of the roads centering at Kansas city, all but one, the Chicago and Alton, have voted to become members of the Missouri and Kansas Car Service association.

James Trythall, Frank Girard, M. H. Morrison and John Rost, whose furnaces were undergoing repairs last week, resumed their duties in the Pittsburg shop this morning.

On Thursday there were loaded on the Indiana, Decatur and Western, at stations between Decatur and Montezuma, a distance of thirty-five miles, seventy-two car loads of corn.

At the Paris station of the Western railroad of France, last year an average of 108,328 passengers arrived and departed daily; nearly 40,000,000 passengers arrived and departed during the year.

On the Detroit division of the Wabash road freight traffic is so heavy that two of the five passenger engines have been hauling freight trains for the past week. The remaining passenger engines were kept busy keeping trains moving.

Captain Jack Kenaill is working again, after ten days' absence on account of an injured eye. John Wallace and Florence Boerger, also of the Pittsburg boiler shop, have recovered from their illness and this morning reported for duty.

G. W. Danner, Chris Ryan and G. Schiefer, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, have returned to their respective duties after being on the absentee list several days. W. F. Fisher, a flue cutter, also reported for work, after an illness of three or four days.

Oscar Turley, one of the Wabash yard engineers at this point, went to St Louis Saturday evening to visit his father and accompany the old gentleman on an eastern journey as far as this city. The older Turley will visit England, his native country, to remain a few months.

One of the finest trains ever seen in Fort Wayne will pull into the Wabash station tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. It will be the special carrying the Gates Mexican excursion party and will be held here for a few minutes to allow the passengers, who come from Toledo and nearby points, an opportunity to meet and converse with their Fort Wayne friends. The train will have at its rear a magnificent observation car, and will be made up with new parlor cars finished and equipped in the most complete manner. It will be an interesting sight and no doubt many of our people will be at the depot to witness it.

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THEY MOVED.

A Band of Gypsies Gives the Officers the Slip.

A gang of dirty looking gypsies who were encamped at the high banks, along the river, were reported to the police on Saturday. Officer Schlandroff visited the camp and found things in a bad shape. The leaders of the gang were named Levi and John Pierce. They had eight or ten old bony horses and the animals had no shelter whatever. They were standing in an open space and tramping in the mud and slush. It was a place entirely unfit for them and Mr. Schlandroff swore out a warrant for the arrest of the men. Yesterday he went back to the camp to arrest the fellows and found that the entire outfit had moved and neither hide nor hair of them could be found anywhere.

THE CLUBS.

Meetings to be Held by Them This Week.

The club meetings for this week are as follows:

Tonight—The Parliamentary Coterie meets at public library building.

Tuesday—Woman's Reading club meets with Mrs C R. Fairbank.

Wednesday—Wednesday club meets with Mrs. C. E. Read; Seven club, with Mrs. Jos Bell.

Thursday—Missionary Reading club meets in parlors of First Presbyterian church.

Friday—Morning Musical meets at Fort Wayne club; sketching at Students' Art league.

MAD DOG SCARE.

South Broadway Excited Over a Playful Canine.

Poundmaster Brown was called to South Broadway Saturday afternoon by a report that a mad dog was raising a disturbance in that neighborhood. He found that the dog was not mad but that he was in a playful mood and was following and running after some school children.

Will Report Favorably.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13—The senate committee on judiciary today decided to report favorably upon the nomination of Charles B. Simonton to be district attorney of the western district of Tennessee. This appointment was opposed by Senator Harris and charges were filed, but were not regarded as sufficient by the judiciary committee. The nomination of Wm. L. Marbury to be district attorney of Maryland, who is opposed by Senator Gorman, again went over.

ANNIE LAURIE'S BIRTHDAY.

The Scotch Lassie Was Born 215 Years Ago.

Most people have an idea that Annie Laurie was a creation of Robert Burns' mind. The fact is, she was a real personage, who lived and died many years before the poet of the people saw the light. It is also probably true that the words of the beautiful ballad were written by a man named Douglas, who was in love with Miss Laurie, but failed to win her. Annie Laurie was the daughter of Sir Robert Laurie, the first baronet of that name, and was born at Maxwelton house, the family residence, located in Glencairn, one of the most beautiful spots in all of that lovely Scottish shire, Dumfries. Her birth is thus set down by her father in what is called the "Barjerg MS.:" "At the pleasure of the Almighty God, my daughter Annie Laurie was born upon the 16th day of December, 1682 years, about 6 o'clock in the morning, and was baptized by Mr. George — , minister of Glencairn."

Maxwelton house was originally the castle of the earls of Glencairn. It was bought in 1511 by Stephen Laurie, the founder of the Laurie family. Stephen was a Dumfries merchant. The castle was a turreted building. In it Annie Laurie was born.

It was at Maxwelton house that a traveler came across the missing link in the chain of evidence that fixed the authorship of the song upon Douglas of

ANNIE LAURIE.

Fingland. Fingland is in the parish of Dairy, in the adjacent shire of Kirkcudbright, and Douglas was a somewhat near neighbor of Annie. The present proprietor of Maxwelton house is Sir Emelius Laurie, formerly rector of St. John's, Paddington, when he was known as Sir Emelius Bayley. He took the name of Laurie when he succeeded to the family estates. Sir Emelius is a descendant of Sir Walter, third baronet, and brother of Annie.

Some forty years ago a famous ballad singer was on a visit to a house in the north of England. One evening after dinner she sang "Annie Laurie," and was cordially thanked by another guest, a venerable Scottish dame of 97. The latter said she was a granddaughter of Douglas of Fingland who, she said, was in love with Annie, but "did na get her after a'." She was not quite sure as to Annie's fate, she said. Some folks had said that she died unmarried, while others had said she married Ferguson of Craigdarrock, but she rather thought that was the truth.

The music of the song is modern, and was composed by Lady John Scott, aunt by marriage of the present duke of Buccleuch. The composer was only guessed at for many years.

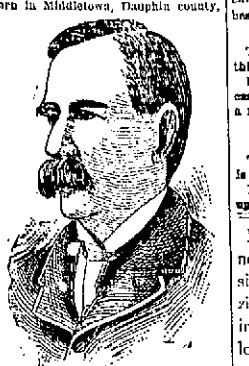
Wild Ride of a Brakeman.

A runaway freight car with a brakeman clinging to the top wildly shouting for help rushed across the railway suspension bridge spanning the great gorge of the Niagara the other night. The car was going at the rate of thirty miles an hour when it crossed the tracks of all the other trunk roads. Luckily, there were no trains passing, nor were there any on the bridge. The car sped over the bridge and into the Grand Trunk yards on the Canadian side, where it ran into a passenger coach and was wrecked. William Hoffman, the brakeman, escaped without serious injury.

SENATOR CAMERON.

Would Sooner Be a Private Citizen Than a Member of the Senate.

Senator James Donald Cameron's announcement of his voluntary withdrawal from public life at the close of his present term was considerable of a surprise to the country, though, as his letter to State Senator McCarrell, of Harrisburg, Pa., indicates, it was not the result of sudden or newly formed impulse. "You will remember," he writes to Mr. McCarrell, "that in a conversation in my home at Harrisburg, just after my election to the senate, I told you, as well as many other friends, that under no circumstances would I again be a candidate for re-election. Since then nothing has occurred to change my mind." No doubt these are the exact facts, and it is reasonably certain that if he had changed his mind he would be re-elected if his party were in the majority in the legislature. His attitude on the silver question was obnoxious to some of his constituents, no doubt, and would have been made the basis of an opposition more or less feeble which has always antagonized him. But the people of Pennsylvania don't take much interest in that subject. Senator Cameron was born in Middletown, Dauphin county,



SENATOR CAMERON.

Pa., in 1833, and graduated from Princeton college in 1852. He entered the Middletown bank as clerk, became its cashier and afterwards president, which position he now fills. He was president of the Northern Central railroad from 1863 until 1874, when it passed into the control of the Pennsylvania railroad. He was secretary of war under President Grant from May, 1876, to March, 1877. He was a delegate to the national Republican conventions in 1868, 1876 and 1880, and was chairman of the national Republican convention in 1880. In 1877 he was first elected to the United States senate to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of his father, General Simon Cameron, and was re-elected in 1879, 1885 and 1891. His term expires March 3, 1897. He is a quiet, unobtrusive gentleman, well equipped in the matter of education, experience and patriotism for public life. He is a strong advocate of free silver coinage.

Davis' Old Home.

Within a short time the old home of Jefferson Davis in Richmond, Va., will be thrown open to the public as a Confederate museum. "The white house of the Confederacy," as it has been called, has been the property of the city for many years, and has recently been used as a school house. A room in the house will be assigned to each of the states that seceded for a collection of relics, and the first responses is from Georgia, which sends the cape, gauntlets and sword of General Lee among other things.

Sketch of Congressman Hitt.

Congressman Robert R. Hitt was born at Urbana, Ohio, Jan. 16, 1834, and at the age of 3 years came with his parents to Ogle county, Illinois. He was educated at Mount Morris college and at Asbury university. He was elected to the Forty-seventh congress to fill a vacancy, and was successively re-elected to the Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, Fiftieth, Fifty-first, Fifty-second, Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth congresses. He is a man of fine appearance, an eloquent speaker and a most agreeable gentleman. In his youth he was an official stenographer at the capitol, and his familiarity with the men and events of the war period supplies him with a rich fund of reminiscences. He is Mr. Reed's most intimate friend in the house, and the two are almost inseparable.

CONGRESSMAN HITT.

DISFIGURING HUMOURS
Prevented by
Cuticura SOAP
when all Else Fails
CUTICURA Soap purifies and beautifies the skin, scalp, and hair by restoring to healthy activity the CLOGGED, INFLAMED, IRRITATED, SLUGGISH, or OVERWORKED Pores.
Sold throughout the world. British depot: F. Newbery & Sons, 1, King Edward-st., London. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, U. S. A.

1-3 OFF...
REGULAR PRICES MEANS
$8 SUITS FOR $5.34.
$10 SUITS FOR $6.67.
$12 SUITS FOR $8.00
$15 SUITS FOR $10.
$2 BOYS' SUITS FOR $1.33.
$5 BOYS' SUITS FOR $3.34.
$1.00 PANTS FOR 67c.
$2.00 PANTS FOR $1.33.
$5.00 PANTS FOR $3.34.
This is the greatest clothing sale on record, and ends next Saturday night.
Globe
Cor. Calhoun and Main Streets.

The Crew Saved.

CAPE HENRY, Va., Jan. 13.—The steamer reported ashore last night at New Inlet, N. C., proves to be the American steamer James Woodall, with a cargo of sugar and molasses, from New Orleans, La., for Baltimore, Md. The vessel stranded on the outer reef off New Inlet life saving station at 8 o'clock last night and is now full of water. The crew of ten men were saved by the life savers. The chances for saving the vessel are unfavorable.

A False Diagnosis.

La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

Mothers, Be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. May5oud&w

He Knew Her.

The Landlady—Can you recommend this turkey?

Marketman—I can, ma'am. With careful usage, that bird will last you a month.

His Reason.

Tim—Why do you say that your cook is like your bicycle?

Brim—I have to give her a blowing-up about once a week, or she's no good.

Beecham's pills are for biliousness, bilious headache, dyspepsia, heartburn, torpid liver, dizziness, sick headache, bad taste in the mouth, coated tongue, loss of appetite, sallow skin, etc., when caused by constipation; and constipation is the most frequent cause of all of them.

Go by the book. Pills 10¢ and 25¢ a box. Book *free* at your druggist's or write B. F. Allen Co., 365 Canal Street, New York.

Annual sales more than 6,000,000 boxes.

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl for general housework at No. 133 W. Superior street. 12f2

WANTED—A good girl for general housework, at 89 E. Wayne street. 9-tf

WANTED—Machine repair work to do at the shop at No. 39 East Columbia street. 24-tf

WANTED—A home for a girl seven years old. Corner Rockhill and Pritchard streets. 4f

WANTED—A girl for general housework in family with no children. 29 W. Jefferson street.

WANTED—Agents, Terms liberal. Address Indian Medicine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich. 27-30d

WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisement, front page, first column. 6-tf

WANTED—Washing to do at home. Will call for and deliver same. Call or address, Mrs. J. T., 109 Wallace street. 12f

WANTED—Stenographer. A young man from 16 to 20 years of age with good recommendations. Address A. B. C., care letter carrier No. 2.

WANTED—Parties to donate the following articles to the Y. W. C. A.: One step ladder, one door mat, few small tables, several new comforts, pictures, magazines, bookcase and rocking chairs. 10-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath. 66 East Jefferson. 27f

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house goods, etc. See advertisement first column front page. 29-tf

FOR RENT—Houses. Seen from 1 to 3 p. m. 67 W. Main street, and seven room frame, 122 Walton avenue. Inquire at 57 W. Main street. 11-tf

FOR RENT—Store before Dec. 15, 4 sailing No. 109 W. Wayne street, now in process of improvement. Schneider & Wilson, first floor, No. 7 Court street. 10f3 tm

FOR RENT—Handsome store room in the Kennedy block, being divided into 20 foot fronts. Also rooms very desirable. Apply No. 72 West Wayne street. 10-tf

FOR SALE.

SHOW CASES—At Manufacturers' Prices, by C. A. Bowser & Co. 20-tf

FOR SALE—Money to loan on pianos, etc. See advertisement first page, first column. 10-tf

FOR SALE—A Crane elevator as good as new. Suitable for a five story building. Enquire this office.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Heating and cooking stoves and furniture of all kinds, and trade at 267 Calhoun street. 10-tf

LOST.

LOST—A pocketbook on Wabash depot, containing $5 bill and $2 bill. Finder, return to this office and receive reward. 11

LOST—Between Wabash depot and Calhoun street, a pocketbook containing money and papers. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office. 11

PROFESSIONAL

DOCTOR MARY WHERRY
Office and Residence 25 Madison St.
Specialty—Diseases of Women.
Hours: 9 a. m. to 10 a. m. and 2 to 3 p. m.
Telephone 479.

OUR GREAT
ANNUAL CLEARING SALE
IS NOW ON.
Cash Discounts offered on every article of Clothing in our house.
Many Goods at Cost, others below, and all at a great discount. Overcoats, Ulsters and Suits Going fast at Sacrificing Prices.
Store Closes at 6 p. m.
PIXLEY & CO.

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JAMES E. GRAHAM,
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Room 28 Bank Block. Fort Wayne, Ind.

D. C. FISHER.
Insurance, Real Estate, Loans.
No. 23 East Berry street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

S. C. LIMBARD,
Insurance, Real Estate and Loans.
Aveline House Block.

BANKS.

HAMILTON NATIONAL BANK.
Capital $200,000. Surplus $25,000.
The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months.
President—Charles McCulloch.
Cashier—John Moar, Jr.

White National Bank
Capital & Surplus, $235,000.
Pays 3 per cent interest per annum on time deposits.
Safe deposit boxes for rent at $5 per annum.

PHYSICIANS.

DR. WM. D. RUHL
Office and Residence 81 Calhoun St.
Hours: 7 to 9 a. m.; 12 to 2 p. m.; 6 to 8 p. m.
Telephone 371.

DR. B. GARD—To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex, may consult me free of charge at my office, 13 W. Wayne St. Telephone 365.

G. W. BOWEN, M. D.,
Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon.
Office hours for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12. Office No. 13 West Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Special attention paid to chronic diseases.

DR. H. W. NEISWONGER.
Physician and Surgeon.
Specialist in all Acute or Chronic diseases. Special attention given to all private diseases and Diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys. Office 33 Calhoun street, Fort Wayne, Indiana. Office Hours: from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

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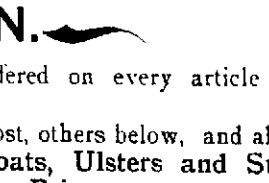
GROSS & PELLENS.
DRUGGISTS.
Corner Calhoun and Wayne Sts. 'Phone 188

J. C. Peltier.

Undertaker and Embalmer.
17 West Wayne Street.

A. HATTERSLEY & SON.
PLUMBERS!
STEAM AND GAS FITTERS.
45 East Main Street.
Fort Wayne, Ind.

SCHEUMAN & KLAEHN,
Funeral Directors and Embalmers.
No. 78 West Main Street, Fort Wayne, Ind.
TELEPHONE for night call, Nos. 72 and 196 for office, No. 256.

Cheap Meals served to women.
Young Women's Christian Association.
NOON REST,
24 West Washington Street.
Breakfast, 6:30 to 8. Dinner, 11 to 2.
Supper, 5:30 to 7.

F. J. ZIMMERLY & CO.
PRACTICAL PLUMBERS,
Gas and Steam Fitters.
135 CALHOUN STREET.

Have You Seen
the new Famous Three Rose Flour. It is given away with each bag of Powder. Ask for it.

PERSONAL—If the gentleman who left his card at the home of Miss Clara Hoffman, 1 Wallace street, will call on her he will learn something to his advantage.

Artistic BOOK BINDING,
In Vellum, Levant, Morrocco, Calf and Russia.
BLANK BOOKS
Of all kinds, with Perfect Flat Opener.
The Binding of Rare and Extra Illustrated Books one of our specialties.
THE FT. WAYNE SENTINEL BINDERY,
14 W. Wayne St., Ft. Wayne, Ind

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.
Cash paid for used Furniture, Carpets Stoves. Entire Furniture of hotels private residences a specialty.
BARGAIN STORE,
39 West Main Street

Pennsylvania Lines.
Trains Run by Central Time
PASSENGER TRAINS
Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station Fort Wayne, Ind.

West Bound.		East Bound.
2.25 a. m.	Pacific Express	1.05 a. m.
1.55 a. m.	Mail and Express	12.00 m.
10.10 a. m.	Cincinnati Limited	10.00 a. m.
4.45 p. m.	Day Express	12.00 m.
8 p. m.	Chicago Limited	8.00 p. m.
10.35 p. m.	Fast Chicago Express	1.00 a. m.

NICKEL PLATE, Nov. 24, 1895. EFFECTIVE
The New York, Chicago & St. Louis R.R.
Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets.
Buffalo depot, Exchange and Michigan St.
Nos. 8 and 4 are local freight trains daily except Sunday. Others, trains daily.

EAST.	Arr.	Dep.
N. Y. & Boston Ex. No. 8	*7.55 am	*8.05 am
Cleveland Mail No. 6	11.00 am	12.00 am
Eastern Express No. 2	*4.20 pm	*4.35 pm
Local Freight	4.30 pm	7.30 am
WEST.	Arr.	Dep.
Chicago Express No. 1	*7.55 am	*8.05 am
Chicago Mail No. 5	11.00 pm	11.15 pm
Fast Express No. 3	*4.05 pm	*4.15 pm
Local Freight	*2.20 pm	7.00 am

Nos. 1 and 5 through drawing room and sleeping cars for Chicago.
Nos. 2 and 3 drawing room sleeping cars through Fort Wayne, York and Boston.
DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos. 3 and 2, and supper on No. 8. No. 1, supper at Cleveland. Nos. 2 and 4, dinner at Ft. Wayne. No. 4, supper at Bellevue.
Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute.
Baggage checked through to destination. Pictures and other information call on or address
E. F. Horner, Gen. Pass. Agt., Cleveland, O.
A. W. Johnston, Pass. Agent, Cleveland, O.
M. C. Baker, District Pass. Agt., Ft. Wayne.

★ Wabash R. R. ★

No.	GOING EAST.	Depart.
42	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily	4:05 a. m.
70	Local Freight, Except Sunday	4:00 a. m.
46	Kan. City & Toledo Ex., ex. Sun.	11:45 a. m.
44	Fast Mail & Express, daily	2:25 p. m.
36	Lafayette Acc., ex. Sunday	11:30 p. m.
	GOING WEST.	
45	St. Louis Express, daily	2:05 a. m.
41	Kan. City Limited Ex. ex. Sun.	11:20 p. m.
43	St. Louis Mail & Express, daily	8:30 p. m.
35	Lafayette Acc., ex. Sunday	11:30 a. m.

FT. WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

STATIONS.	EAST.				WEST.			
Leave					Arrive			
Ft. Wayne Mail, daily	2 15 am	3 45 pm	7 00 am		Ft. Wayne Mail, daily	6 45 am	7 15 pm	5 00 pm
Haviland	11 10 am	3 57 pm	8 07 am		Haviland	9 59 am	6 07 pm	3 00 pm
Cloverdale	12 03 pm	4 50 pm	8 57 am		Cloverdale	9 06 am	5 25 pm	2 11 pm
Ottawa	2 35 am	5 20 pm	9 30 am		Ottawa	8 30 am	4 55 pm	1 45 pm
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	7 15 pm	11 05 am			Toledo (C. H. & D.)	3 55 am	11 05 pm	
Findlay	8 55 pm	12 45 pm	10 30 am		Findlay	2 15 am	9 25 pm	7 00 am

Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne. All trains daily except Sundays.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

GOING NORTH.	LEAVE.
*For Grand Rapids and North	2.20 am
	8.15 am
	4.56 pm
From Richmond	8.30 pm
SOUTHBOUND.	
*For Richmond and Cincinnati	11.45 am
	5.45 pm
	1.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	7.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	11.25 pm

*Daily.
All other trains daily except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 403 Way Freight	8.45 am
No. 405 Chi. Express and Mail	10.25 am
No. 415 Detroit & Ind. Ex. Express	2.50 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART.
No. 404 Way Freight	4.00 pm
No. 457 Toledo Express and Mail	11.45 pm
No. 416 Detroit & Indianapolis Ex.	12.05 am

ROOT & COMPANY

THIS JANUARY COST SELLING

At the Old Popular, Reliable Store

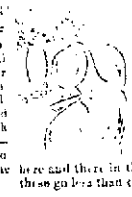
Is passing all records—we knew that it would. No such preparations as has been made here for this event, the past weeks and weeks could result in anything else We put before our patrons goods at prices worth the getting—worth coming many miles to get, and that is just what is going on. The neighboring cities and towns are coming—we see the new faces daily.

One hundred sales people are busy at selling the day long, as they have never been before.

UNDERWEAR selling was never so brisk as it is to day. We sell every piece for Women, Men Misses' and Children at cost, and then such a stock to select from—as good today, to morrow as in the beginning of Fall.

Union Suits, Tights, Vests, Drawers in Silk, Wool, Cashmere, Merino, Fleeced—

ALL AT COST.



Every day less was the chance for pretty decorating pieces at a very small cost. Near the elevator is what is left of the big holiday stock. You may see something to put in a place here and there in the home. We let these go less than cost

Ladies' Gowns—

Men's Night Shirts, Children's Gowns, made of pretty Flannelettes, made in a home made up manner Also all Ladies' and Misses' Underwear at cost—and there ain't a piece of Simon Stern's Underwear but what is a gem.

ALL AT COST.

FINE LINENS But the bulk of the DAMASKS, great trade go after those fine Linen Damasks A great truck load is added to the stock every day. We made ample preparations for every day of this sale

One item out on sale in fine linens, 72 inch, heavy double damask, our own import—$1.50 should be the price sale price $1.29, Napkins to match.

Another table full at those low price Napkins to greet our patrons tomorrow.

One Cream Linen Damasks, 39c

One Cream Linen Damasks, 50c

Two Bleached Linen Damasks, 55c.

All the beautiful Aart Linens, Fancy Linen pieces, Single Novelties, will be sold AT COST

WHITE QUILTS

Are selling freely. One good genuine Marseilles spread, at $1.37, the cheapest of its kind ever shown. Finer Quilts $1.67 and $1.79. At $2.59 we sell an english Quilt, hemmed, Satin Finish, one dollar less than value.

All Linen hand Crashes, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c.

Children's Eiderdown Coats down to about one quarter value, Tic to $2.50 each This is a bargain to be taken up quickly.

LADIES' SWEATERS

For Skating and Sleighing. A new line just in—lovely novelties.

Blankets and Underwear—just what you want today. We sell at cost A few more of those elegant California Blankets left, and those grand blankets at $3 98 the pair.

ALL DRESS GOODS AT COST.

This includes Black Goods, Silks, Colored Dress Goods, from part Cotton to the fine all wool and Silk and Wool.

AT HALF PRICE—

Every wrap in the cloak room, except two numbers which we make a stir on. Two lots Ladies' Coats, new sold at $7 and $8. We mark to $2.50 each.

No goods charged during this sale. All goods bought must be cash on delivery. No goods sent out on approval.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO

THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED Call up telephone 465 and they will call for your work.

16 ARCADE,

Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

H. M. Brothers read a very instructive and entertaining paper on "Tobacco and Its Effects on Man" at the institute of the W. C. T. U., held at Hoagland, in this county.

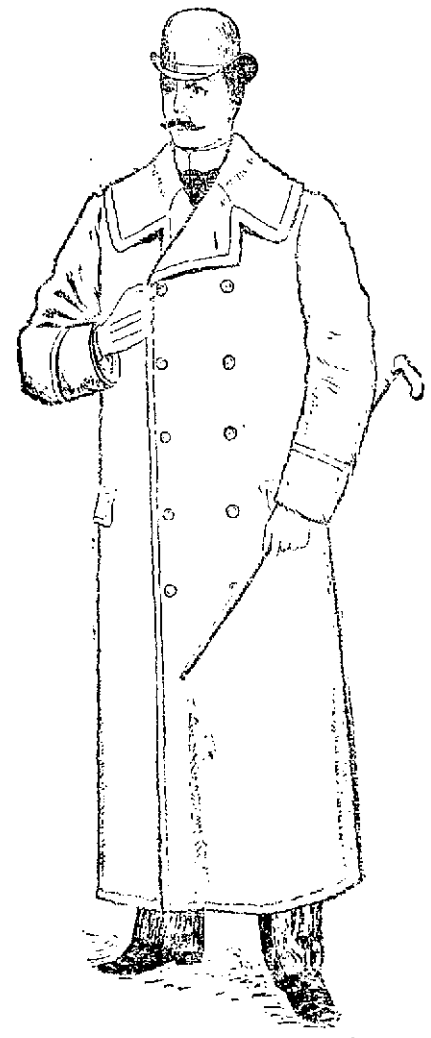
MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 21f

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

Miss Allie Ballenger, who has been the guest of Miss Alice Woodworth, left today for Bluffton to visit Miss Mame Montgomery.



All of our Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters are now going at 25 per cent off from our original low prices.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY JAN. 13 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 1758.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Jan 13—For Indiana: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday possibly light rain in extreme southern portions tonight slight changes in temperature tonight, probably slightly warmer in northern portion Tuesday, variable winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Barry Jones left for New York today.

Mrs. L. Webb, Hamilton is ill with the grip.

Miss Alice S. Dreese will leave for Cincinnati this week.

Miss Jessie VanNess leaves this evening for a visit in Wabash.

Mrs. Emma Ballenger is the guest of her sister, Mrs Charles Hoenig

Mrs. Gould gave a thimble party this afternoon in honor of Miss Haler, of Chicago.

Mrs. S. E. Fleming and Mr. A. B. Trentman, of Hartford City, are visiting in the city.

W. S. Oppenheim, of Chicago, will act as best man to the Bond-Brown nuptials on Wednesday.

Miss Kate Salford, who came to attend her brother's wedding, will return to Hartford, Conn., this week.

The Union Bible class will meet on Friday evening in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church. Mrs. D. R. Wells will teach the class.

Mat Rauh, who are spending the holidays with relatives and friends in this city, left today for the northwest in the interest of a corset company for whom he travels.

Miss Alice Hamil led the devotional meeting of the Epworth league at the Wayne street M. E church last night and delivered an interesting talk on "The Alphabet of Prayer."

George Jacoby, of Murray street, fell on South Lafayette street, near Waltemath's grocery, at the noon hour yesday, and fractured the bones of the left arm, near the wrist Dr. J. E. Miller reduced the fracture.

Miss Martin B Graham entertained at her home on Saturday the Happy Six at 5 o'clock tea. The following young ladies were present: Nellie Clark, Lizzie Lapp, Blanche Coombs, Myrtle Haines and Maud Clark.

Mrs. Hannah Hall has gone to Florida to spend several months at the winter home of her son, Willard Hall. Mrs Hall was accompanied by Miss Hendrigan, of Topeka, Kas., who has recently been the guest of Mrs F. E. Ellison.

The musical services at the Westminster Presbyterian church last night was a program of vocal and instrumental selections of a high order of merit and interesting. A large audience listened to the sermon preached by Rev. J. L. Keeper.

The subject of the evening sermon of Rev. G. C. Cissell at the Berry street M. E church last night was "The Prayer That Teaches to Pray." It was a most interesting exposition of the subject. Mr. O. E Mohler led the devotional services of the Epworth League.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church met Friday. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. G. L. Greenawalt. A paper on 'A Backward Glance of the Year's Work" was read by Mrs. E. F. Yarnelle, and one on 'The Perils of the New West" by Mrs. I. M. VanSlyke.

It is being stated that the reason for the low gas pressure in this city during the cold weather is caused by the fact that several towns on the line of the Fort Wayne Gas company's mains from the gas fields to this city are supplied with gas from these pipes and that the drain is so great as to reduce the pressure in this city.

Rev. L. L. Henson delivered an interesting discourse at the Baptist Tabernacle yesterday morning on the "Book of Galatians," being the first of a series of expository sermons on this subject. In the evening his theme was "How to Be Saved," after which ordinance of baptism was administered. He had large audiences at both services

The following out-of-town guests will be in attendance at the Bond-Brown wedding next Wednesday: Mrs. Rena B. Maxwell, Bridgeton, N. J.; Mrs. M. P. Talbot, Marion, Ind.; the Misses Georgiana and Edith Sweitzer, of Marion, Ind.; Mrs. Anna Robinson and daughter, Miss Susie, of Peru, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Peters, of Toledo, Ohio; Ivan W. Higginson, of Chicago; Col. Nat and Mrs. Peter Studebaker, of South Bend.

Meats, Flour, Butter and Eggs.

Best Sugar Cured Hams 10c lb.
Good, Nice Shoulders, 7c lb.
Best Roll Butter, 16c lb.
Good Bar Butter, 12c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, per dozen, 20c

FRED HOCH.

Try a cup of Bursley's Blend Coffee at the People's Store. It will cost you nothing. 10 13 14

Valencia Oranges—Cheap.

Fresh shipment of 2 boxes arrived today, large, bright fruit 30c dozen

Sweet Lemons, 10c dozen.

Small Messina Lemons 5c dozen

Choice Malaga Grapes 10c lb.

FRED HOCH.

A cup of Cocoline will be served free to Ladies, on Monday, from 2 to 5 p. m. at Bosse-Reed's, 5 Calhoun street. All are cordially invited

California Dried Peaches Down.

A shipment of California to hand, direct from [illegible] kind of fruit at [illegible] formerly [illegible]

FRED HOCH.

Mrs Robert Learmonth will leave this week for Chicago.

Miss Ida Knoker, of Maple street, has returned from Chicago

Miss Iona Barker, of Albion, Neb., is the guest of Mrs. Julius Nathan

Mrs Elizabeth Joss entertained the Sewing club at cards this afternoon.

Miss Julia Wilson, of 12 Home avenue, is visiting relatives in Valparaiso and Chicago

Dr. A. E. Bulson is confined to his home on West Wayne street suffering from an attack of grip

William Murphy of Force street, has returned from Philadelphia, where he has been visiting his grandparents

I. H. Case, manager for the Kimball Piano Co., accompanied by Mrs. Case, is in Chicago selecting pianos for the spring trade

I. F. Fee and family have moved into the east half of Mr. Hatterdey's brick residence, on West Berry street In the early spring Mr Fee will build on the site of his former home.

At her home on East Lewis street Miss Mattie Graham entertained the Happy Six Saturday afternoon. The young ladies present were. Misses Blanche Coombs, Nellie Clark, Maude Clark, Lizzie Lapp and Myrtle Haines

The Rainbow Theatrical club met Thursday evening and was very pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Mayme McBennett from 7 to 10:30 At 9:30 a dainty luncheon was served and after finishing the evening program the meeting adjourned to meet again with the Misses Gertrude and Laura Greene.

Among the coming events of the week will be a ball dress theatre party to the "Princess Bonna," Thursday evening and a supper at the Wayne club, given by Mr. and Mrs. John White. Those who will be entertained are Messrs. and Mesdames Gus Rabus, Frank Fee, Charles Orr, Joe Rossell and Robert Learmouth.

There was a pretty wedding ceremony at the St. Patrick church at 7 o'clock this morning, the nuptial party being Miss Elizabeth Quinn and Mr W. E. McLaughlin. The bride and groom left at noon, over the Grand Rapids road, for the south, and upon their return they will at once begin house-keeping at No 426 South Harrison street. Mr. McLaughlin is Supt. P. S. O'Rourke's private secretary.

Miss Ethel Homcher received Saturday afternoon from 5 till 9 p. m. at the family residence on South Webster street, in honor of her thirteenth birthday. Games, music, tableau and pantomimes were the amusements of the evening. A delicate supper was served in course at 6:30 o'clock. Two following misses were present: Clara Frontfield, May Rickley, Bessie Glenn, Clara Owens, Grace Gates, Floy Gates, Jessie Tuckey, Mable Homsher, Princess Collins, Flora Pelhamus, May Whitney, Favor Freeland, Pearl Bond, Grace Chase, Myrtle Lewis, Flossie Blanchard, Grace Irwin and Anna Pelhamus.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was a sleighing party given by Roland Walker and Fred Duereeh The party drove to Wagner's farm, six miles south of the city. The evening was spent in games and music, and at 12 o'clock a delicious lunch was served. The party returned to the city at 1 o'clock. Among those present were the Misses Bertha Coar, Gertie Thompson, Blanch Wagner, Blanch Remilson, Ora Johnson, Elva Craig, Maude Jenness, Messrs Dal Jenness, Harry Alderman, Albert Keplinger, Will Thompson, Roland Walker, Fred Duereeh, Cass Isburry, Harry Turner, Argus Kemp, Harry Robert.

Jacob Shaffer, a convict at the northern prison, died Saturday forenoon. Shaffer was serving a term of five years for burglary. He was received at the prison in June, 1893. He was set at work on the shoe contract, and after working sometime he was taken ill. When he recovered, lighter work was assigned him on the woolen contract. About six weeks ago he was again taken ill, and became violently insane. He refused to touch any food, and as a consequence he gradually wasted away. His mother resides at Warsaw and was notified of his death. Word was received yesterday by the prison authorities to hold the body, and that someone would arrive to convey the remains to Warsaw, where they will be interred.

Mrs. A. Thompson and Mrs. M. G. Walker chaperoned a jolly sleighing party to the pleasant country home of Mr and Mrs. Jacob Wagner on Friday evening. Those who participated in the pleasures were Misses Gertrude Thompson, Ora Johnson, Elva Craig, Blanche Remilson, Bertha Coar, Ida Wagner, Laura Marif Katie Kemp, and Messrs Charley Osborne, Harry Turner, Fred Duryee, Roland Walker, Argus Kemp, Will Thompson, Bert Keplinger, Oscar Hobert, Harry Alderman, Dorsa Sanese, Edward Wagner, Dright Wilson. Music and games were enjoyed until a late hour. After a 12 o'clock supper the young people returned to the city, pronouncing Mr. and Mrs. Wagner royal entertainers, R. Coleman got the right driver and promising to come again

The gallery at the Wayne street M. E. church has been rarely if ever used for the regular Sunday preaching services, but it was brought into requisition last evening in order to seat the immense audience that turned out to hear Rev. Dr. Henry W. Bennett preach the third of the series of special lectures which he is delivering on Sunday evenings. His lecture last night was to young men, and it was a gem of the homiletic art. Full of good advice to the young, rich in thought, methodical in the arrangement embellished with beautiful language, eloquent in its delivery, interesting in all its parts, scholarly and yet characterized with simplicity, logical, humorous, impressive and forcible, it was entertaining and held the attention of [illegible] audience. It was a picture that was [illegible] to the youth and will be [illegible] kind of [illegible] formerly [illegible]

FRED HOCH.

J. F. Schell was in Columbia City over Sunday.

The Seven club met with Mrs. C. B. Woodworth on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. I. White and Miss Jeanette Smith left yesterday for Chicago.

Miss Katherine McDougall went to Chicago today to hear the Paderewski recitals.

Nine persons were added to the roll of the Covenant Presbyterian school yesterday afternoon.

The Epworth league of the Wayne street M. E. church hold a business meeting tonight

Miss Nettie Rush, of New York city, will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. Mergenthim, this week.

On next Saturday, Mrs. A. A. Forman will entertain the English club in a social way after the regular work is done.

The Morning Musical will give a complimentary recital to the members of the Fort Wayne club in the near future.

Mr. F. D. Casenave and daughter left Sunday for Chicago, where they will make a short visit before returning to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis, of Decatur, Ill., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis, on East Wayne street, parents of Mr. Davis.

Miss Frank Felter, of Huntington, will attend the meeting of the Wednesday club at the house of Mrs. Charles Reed, in Lakeside, next Wednesday.

The Modern Woodmen will install their newly elected officers at the meeting tonight in the A. O. U. W. hall, on Court street. The lodge meets every Monday evening.

The only case in police court this morning was that of a Calhoun street saloonkeeper, who was fined $19.50 for selling liquor on Sunday. The officers, disguised as farmers, went to his saloon and secured evidence enough to convict him.

Mrs. Darwin S. Root will sing in the "Creation" at Van Wert, on Wednesday of this week. Charles Clark of Chicago, is to be the baritone. Mr. Root is to take the part of "Frederick" in the "Pirates of Penzance," in Columbia City, on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Over 700 tickets have been sold for the Westminster concerts and when 1,000 tickets have been subscribed for the dates of the concerts will be announced. Tickets subscribed for may be had at half price or twenty-five cents for both concerts if 1,000 are sold, otherwise the admission will be twenty-five cents at the door for each.

The second meeting of the east end Baptist mission Sunday school yesterday afternoon was attended by 121 persons and the interest in the work was even more marked than on the preceding Sunday. The room will accommodate 175 pupils and those who have charge of affairs will not relax their efforts until they get that number of regular attendants.

Never were visitors more handsomely treated than were the twenty-six Fort Wayne citizens who went down to Decatur last Saturday to institute a lodge of Pocahontas. The party left at 1:15 o'clock, was met at the depot in Decatur and escorted down to a large hall, where the Red Men and their wives of Decatur had assembled to greet them. After introductions and some preliminary work, the work of instituting the new lodge was taken up and carried on until 6 o'clock, when a recess for supper was taken. The visitors were then taken to the Burt house, where a magnificent spread awaited them. After supper the lodge work was resumed and completed by 11 o'clock, and soon after the Fort Wayne delegation left for home. The new lodge is named "Matelico," and it starts out with fifty members.

Mr. A. Geisman,

Editor Sentinel:

Will you kindly call the attention of all parents and teachers in particular to an article in the January Arena—"Spirituality in American Education" by Lilian Whiting. It is full of sound wisdom. A. GEISMAN

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G. W. PIXLEY, President.
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Louis Altevoght, of South Calhoun street, is very sick.

Miss Tot Davis, daughter of John Davis, who has been very sick, is recovering.

Policeman Hardendorf has recovered from his attack of grippe and has returned to his beat.

Mrs. F. K. Neise, who has been visiting relatives in this city for some time, returned to her home in Lima, O., today.

REV. JOSEPH COOK.

Authoritative Statement Regarding His Condition.

BOSTON, Jan. 13—An authorized statement regarding Joseph Cook's condition is published by the Congregationalist. It says: "On August 31 Mr. Cook lectured at Melbourne. The next day (which was Sunday) during his preparation for the service, he was seized with vertigo and almost total loss of sight By the end of September he was sufficiently restored to justify the physician in allowing him to embark from Sydney to Japan, where he was to meet his wife. When he reached Japan on November 21 he was weak in body and depressed in spirits. During the trip across the Pacific he slept only under the influence of opiates. He was the victim of melancholia and worried almost incessantly over his condition. At San Francisco the physicians felt it safe for him to travel east. He was taken to Clifton Springs and there is reason to anticipate a favorable termination of his maladies."

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46-inch All Wool Henrietta at 48c, worth 75c.

All 50c Novelty Dress Goods reduced to 35c.

54 inch Ladies' Cloth at 39c, reduced from 50c.

All 50c Plaids reduced to 39c.

ALL BLACK DRESS GOODS sold at actual cost.

Underwear & Hosiery sold at cost.

Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests at 12½c, worth 17c.

Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests at 21c, worth 30c.

All Ladies' 50c Underwear reduced to 37½c.

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Ladies' $1.00 Underwear reduced to 75c.

Gents' Grey Mixed Underwear at 20c.

Gents' Camel Hair Underwear at 29c, reduced from 38c.

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9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 19c, worth 25c.

9-4 Bleached Sheeting at 15c, worth 18c.

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All Housekeeping Goods sold at cost.

8c Ticking reduced to 6¼c.

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18c Feather Ticking reduced to 12½c.

Red Table Damask at 23c, reduced from 30c

Red Table Damask at 25c, reduced from 35c.

Unbleached Table Linen at 22c, reduced from 28c.

Unbleached Table Linen at 25c, worth 30c

Unbleached Table Linen at 29c, worth 35c.

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1 case Grey Blankets, large size, at 48c, worth 75c.

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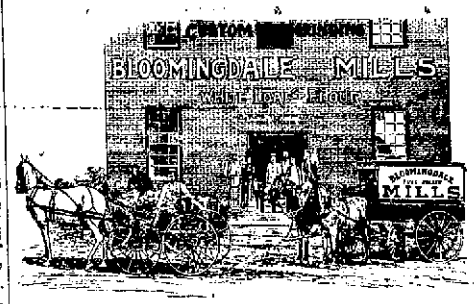

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